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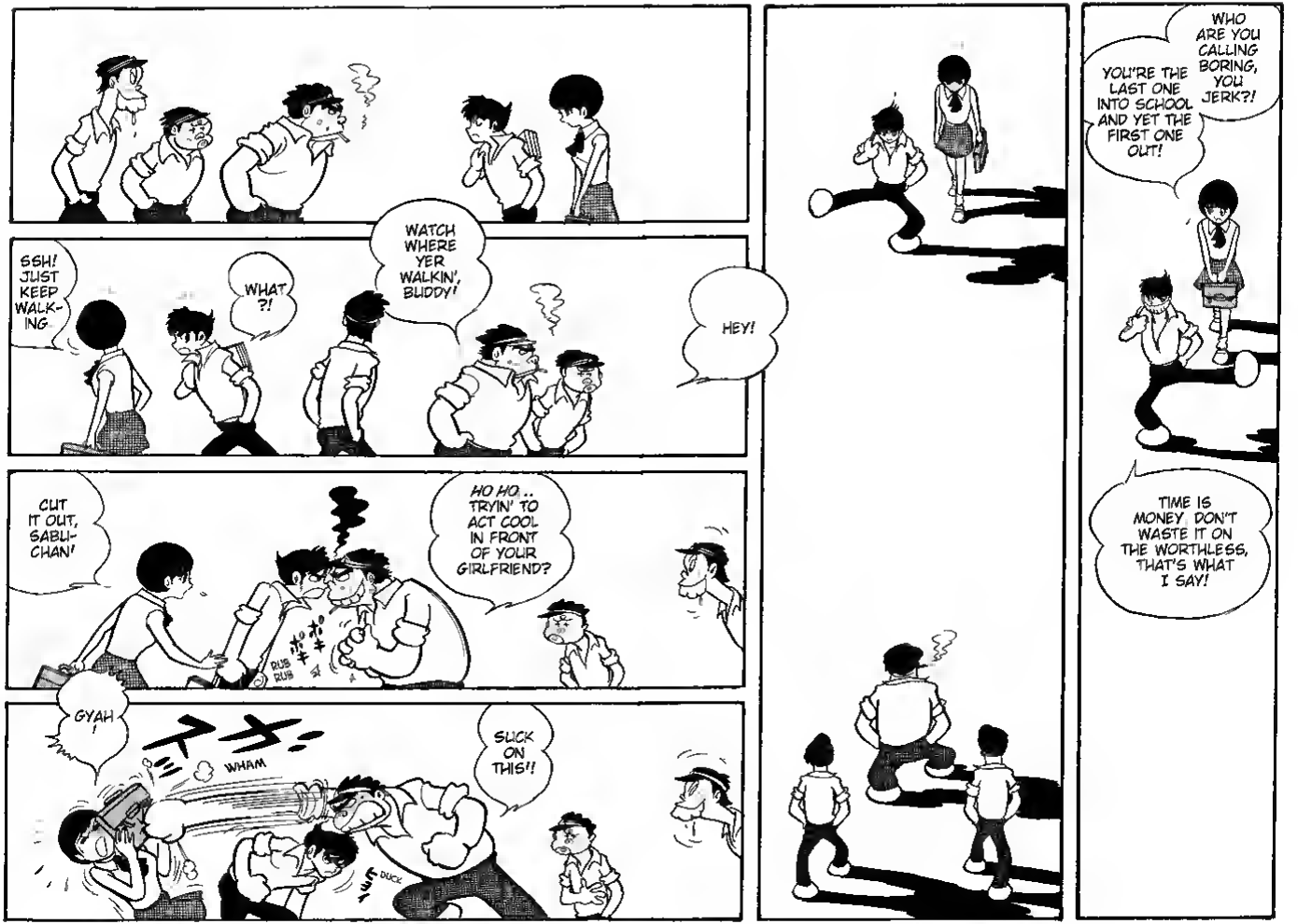
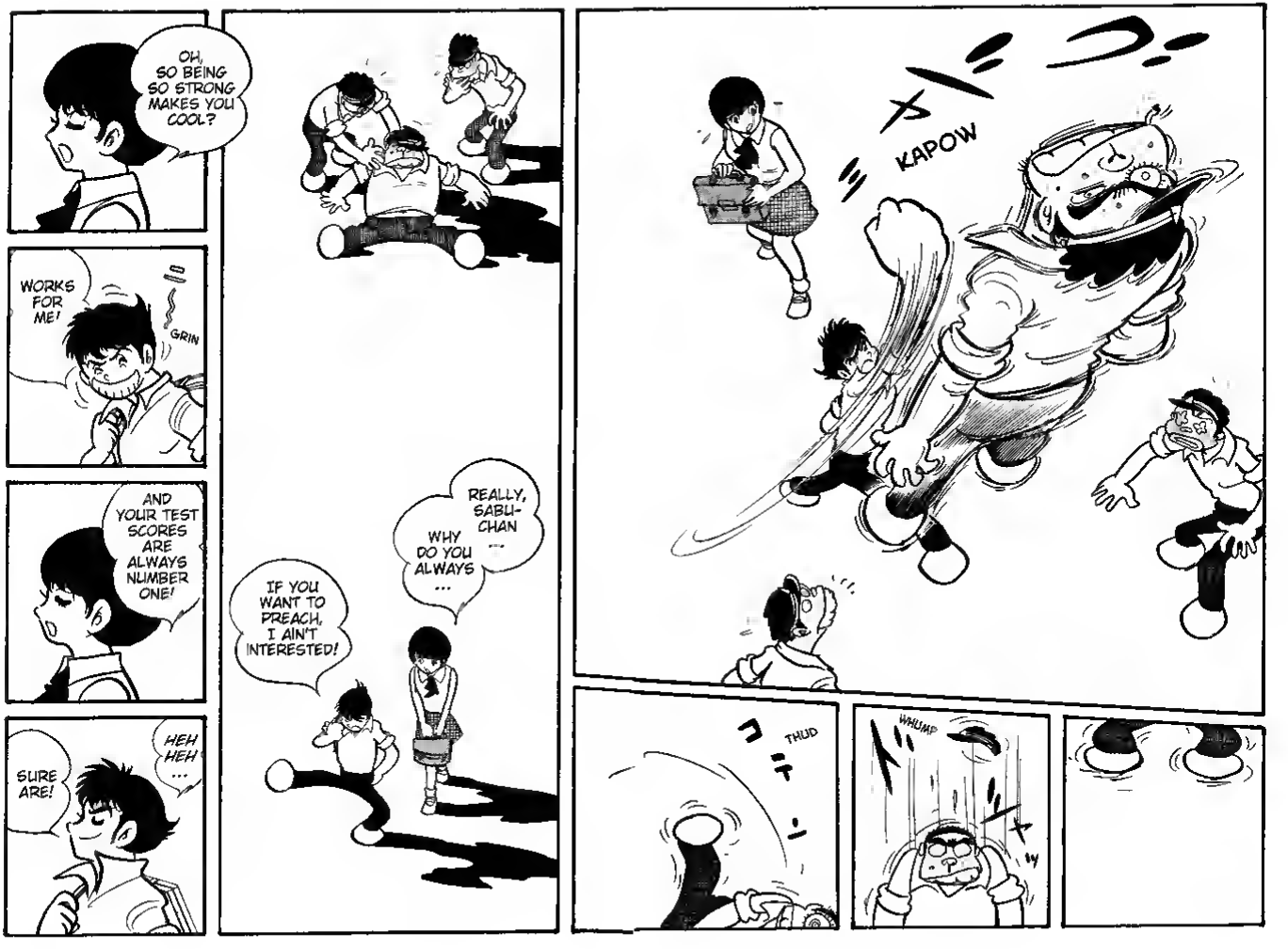
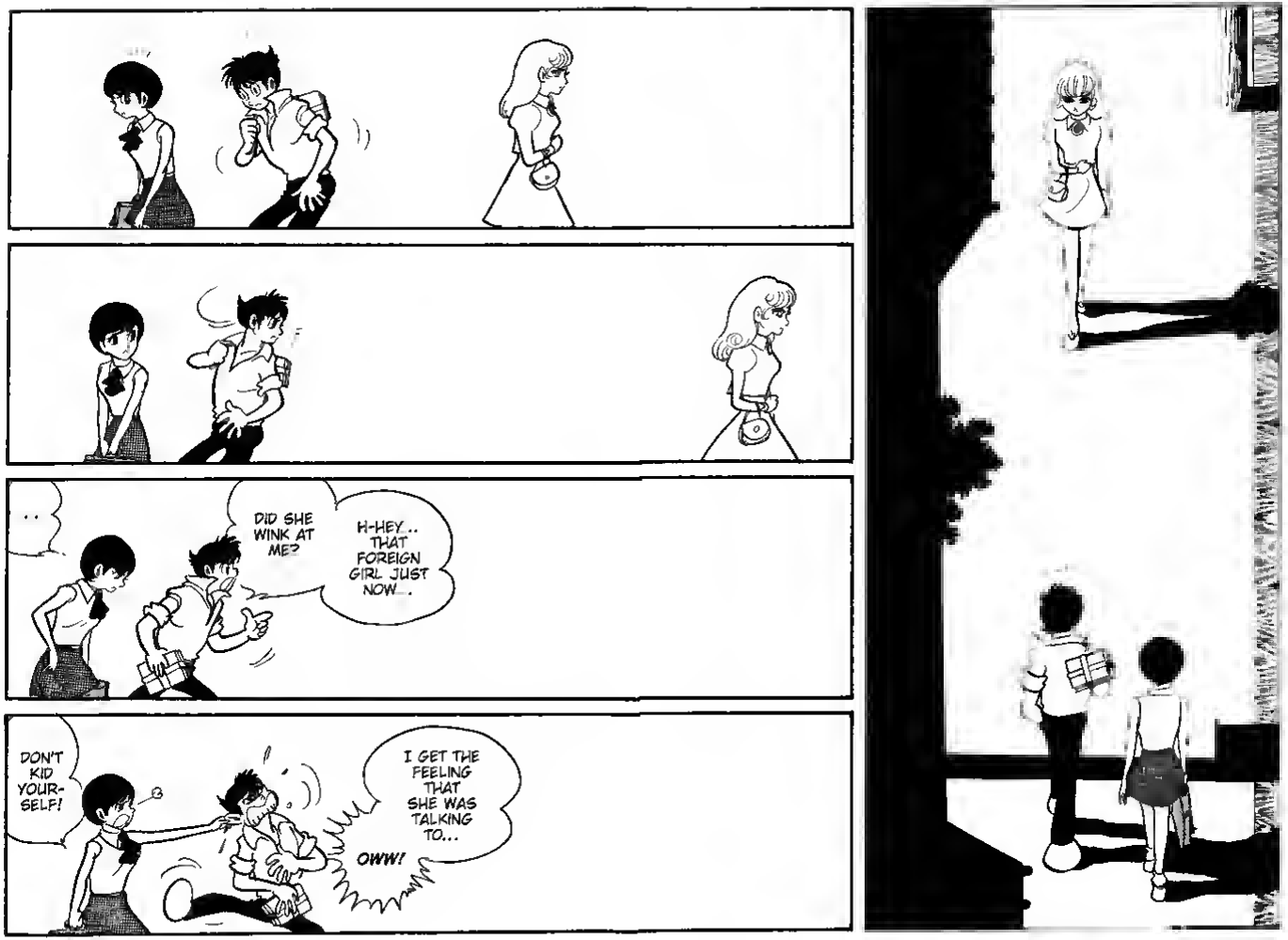

SSH! JUST KEEP WALKING
WHAT?!
WATCH WHERE YER WALKIN', BUDDY!
HEY!
CUT IT OUT, SABU-CHAN!
HO HO.. TRYIN' TO ACT COOL IN FRONT OF YOUR GIRLFRIEND?
GYAH
WHAM
SUCK ON THIS!!
DUCK
YOU'RE THE LAST ONE INTO SCHOOL AND YET THE FIRST ONE OUT!
WHO ARE YOU CALLING BORING, YOU JERK?!
TIME IS MONEY DON'T WASTE IT ON THE WORTHLESS, THAT'S WHAT I SAY!


OH, SO BEING SO STRONG MAKES YOU COOL?
WORKS FOR ME!
GRIN
AND YOUR TEST SCORES ARE ALWAYS NUMBER ONE!
HEH HEH ...
SURE ARE!
IF YOU WANT TO PREACH, I AIN'T INTERESTED!
WHY DO YOU ALWAYS ...
REALLY, SABU-CHAN ...
KAPOW
THUD
WHUMP

YEAH, THAT'S ...
AND YOU'RE A SUCKER FOR FLATTERY ...
THAT'S TRUE!
TO-TALLY!
THAT'S WHY THE GIRLS ARE SO CRAZY ABOUT YOU!
HELP! A PERVERT!
WHAT?!
HOW IS IT THAT YOU'RE SO GOOD AT FIGHTING AND STUDYING?
BUT SERIOUSLY... I DON'T GET IT, SABU-CHAN.
HEH HEH HEH... SOME TOUGH GUY YOU ARE!
GIMME A BREAK!
I'M JUST SUPER-HUMAN!
HEH HEH HEH...
WELL, TRUTH BE TOLD...

WELL, THAT'S TRUE... ABOUT FIGHTING, ANYWAY.
YOU DON'T PRACTICE MARTIAL ARTS, AND I'VE NEVER ONCE SEEN YOU STUDY!
STOP KIDDING. I WANT TO KNOW.
I CAN TELL A PUNCH IS COMING JUST BEFORE IT COMES.
AS FOR TESTS...I GET A HUNCH ABOUT WHAT TO STUDY THE DAY BEFORE, AND IT'S ALWAYS RIGHT.
HMM... IT SOUNDS LIKE SOME KIND OF PSYCHIC POWER.
PSYCHIC POWER?!
OR MAYBE YOU'RE JUST CRAZY.
I'M SUPER SABURO !
YEAH, I GUESS SO.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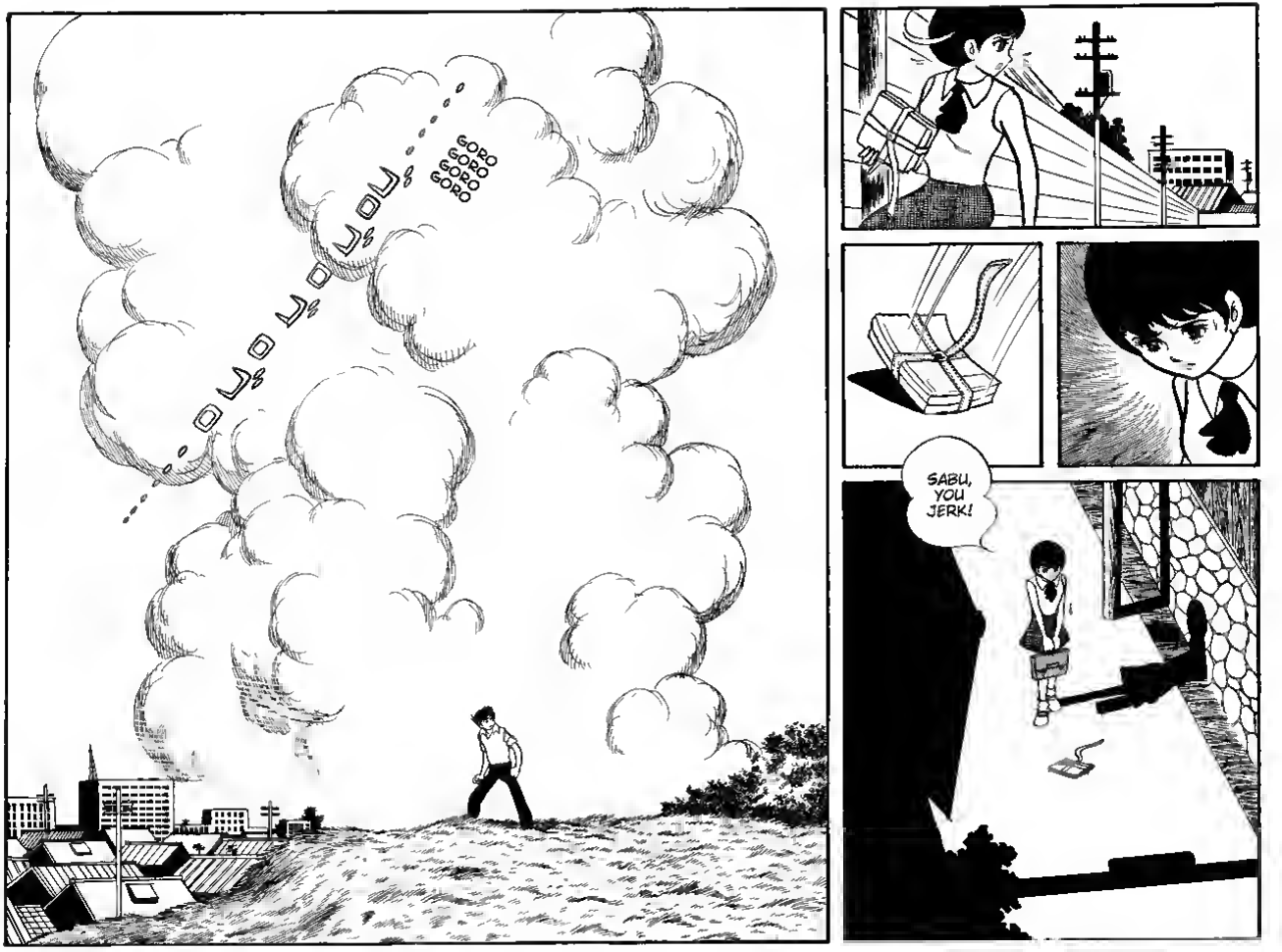
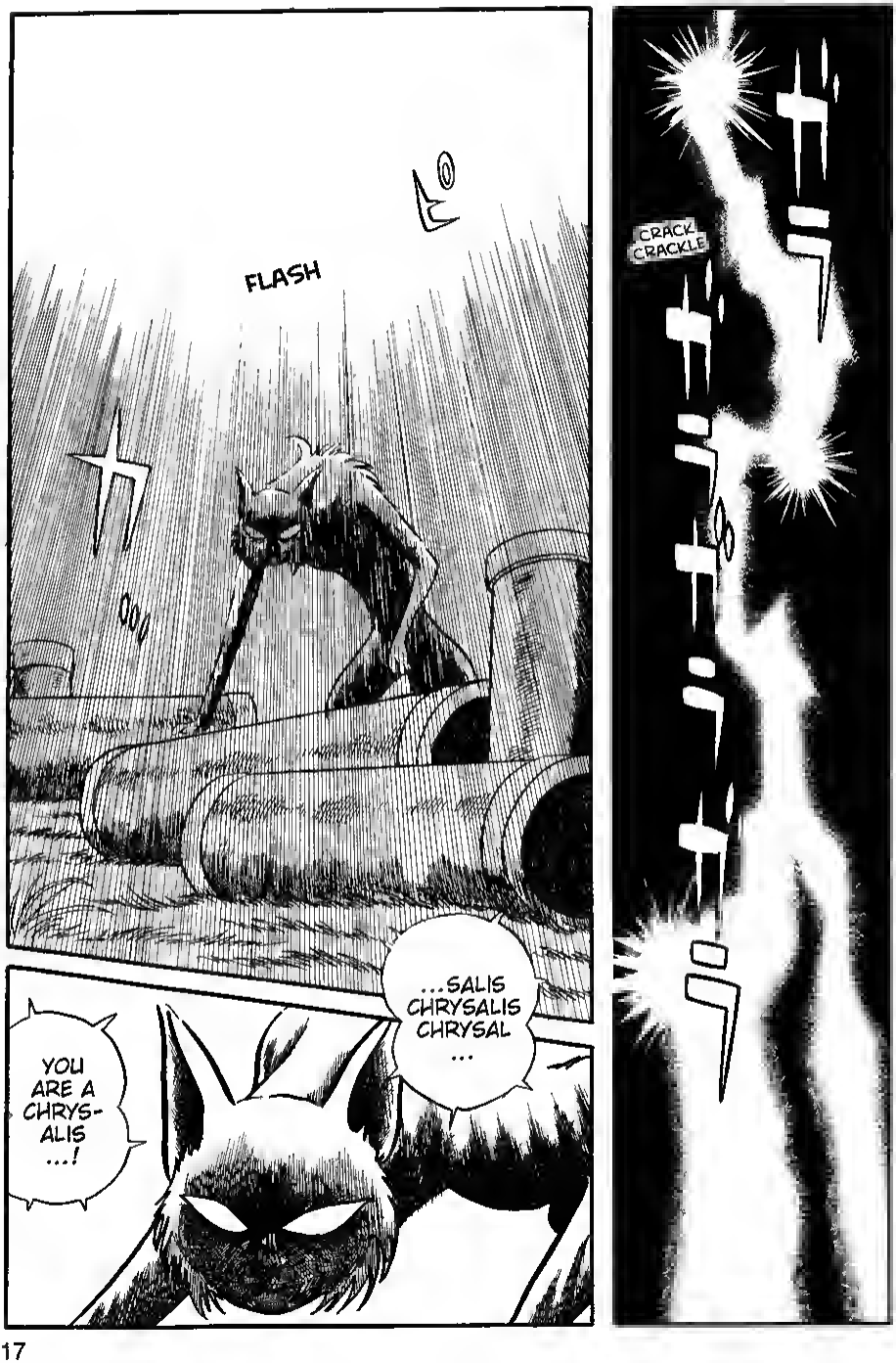
DID SHE WINK AT ME?
H-HEY.. THAT FOREIGN GIRL JUST NOW...
DON'T KID YOUR-SELF!
I GET THE FEELING THAT SHE WAS TALKING TO...
OWW!

OH, REALLY NOW?!
I REALLY DID GET THAT FEELING...
WHAT THE HECK WAS THAT FOR?!
TH-THAT... HURT!
SA-BU-RO... EM-BRY-O...
MIYO!
H... HEY!

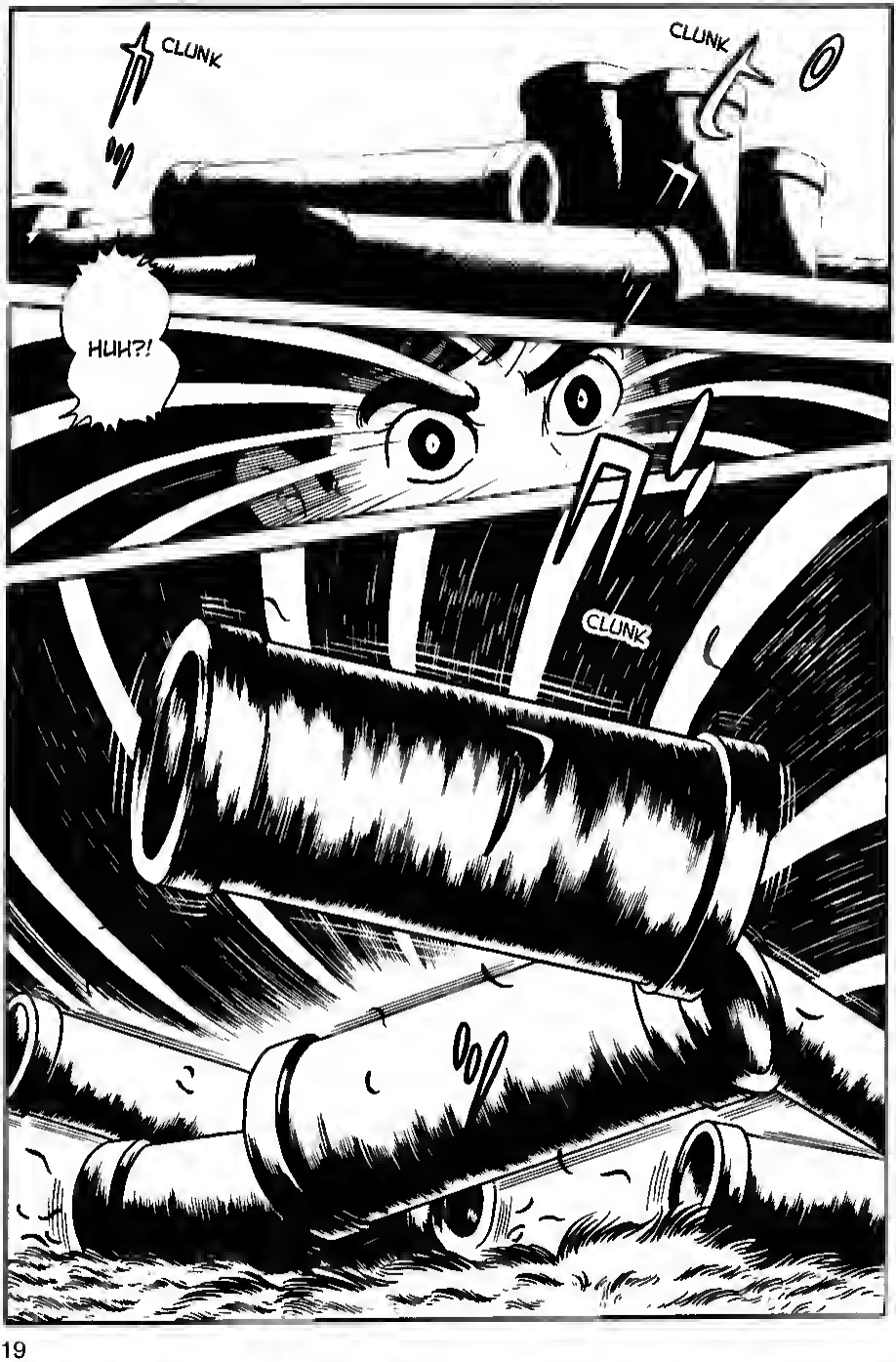
EM-BRY-O...!
EM-BRY-O... MU-TANT...
MIYO... TAKE MY BOOKS HOME FOR ME!
TOSS
NO WAY !!

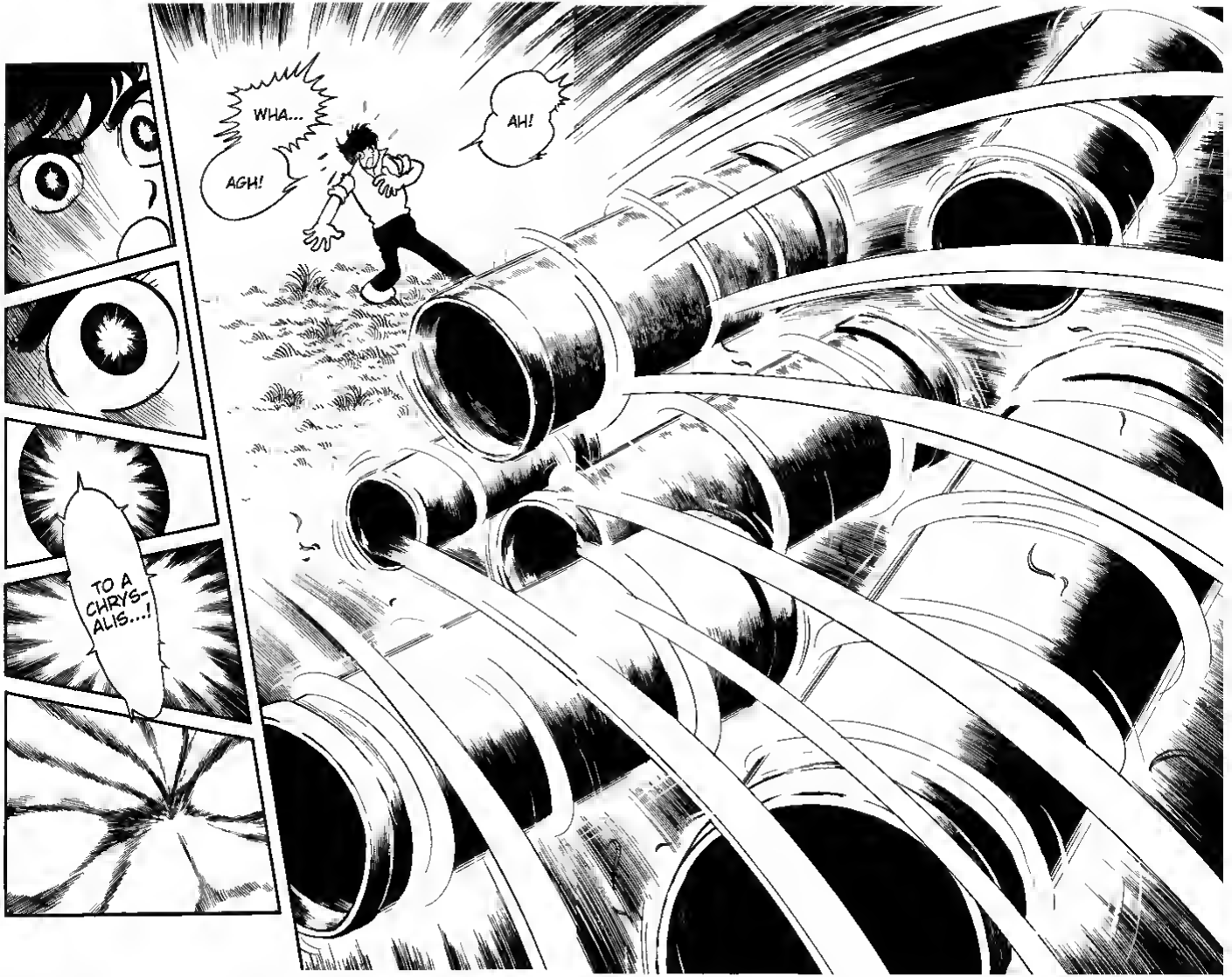

GORO
GORO
GORO
GORO
GORO
GORO
GORO
SABU, YOU JERK!

THAT GIRL...I DEFINITELY HEARD...
SOME... SOME-HOW...
WHERE IS SHE?!
GARA GARA GARA GARA
SHE SAID SOME-THING!
BUT ...
WHERE IS SHE?!
FLASH


FLASH
CRACK
CRACKLE
...SALIS
CHRYSALIS
CHRYSAL
...
YOU
ARE A
CHRYS-
ALIS
...!

HUH ?!
...FROM A CHRYSALIS TO A BUTTERFLY ...
TO A BUTTER-FLY...
TO A BUTTER-FLY...
TO A BUTTER-FLY...
TO A BUTTER-FLY...
BECOME A BUTTER-FLY...
FROM A CHRYS-ALIS ...
YOU BECOME ...
...A BUTTER-FLY!


CLUNK
CLUNK
HUH?!
CLUNK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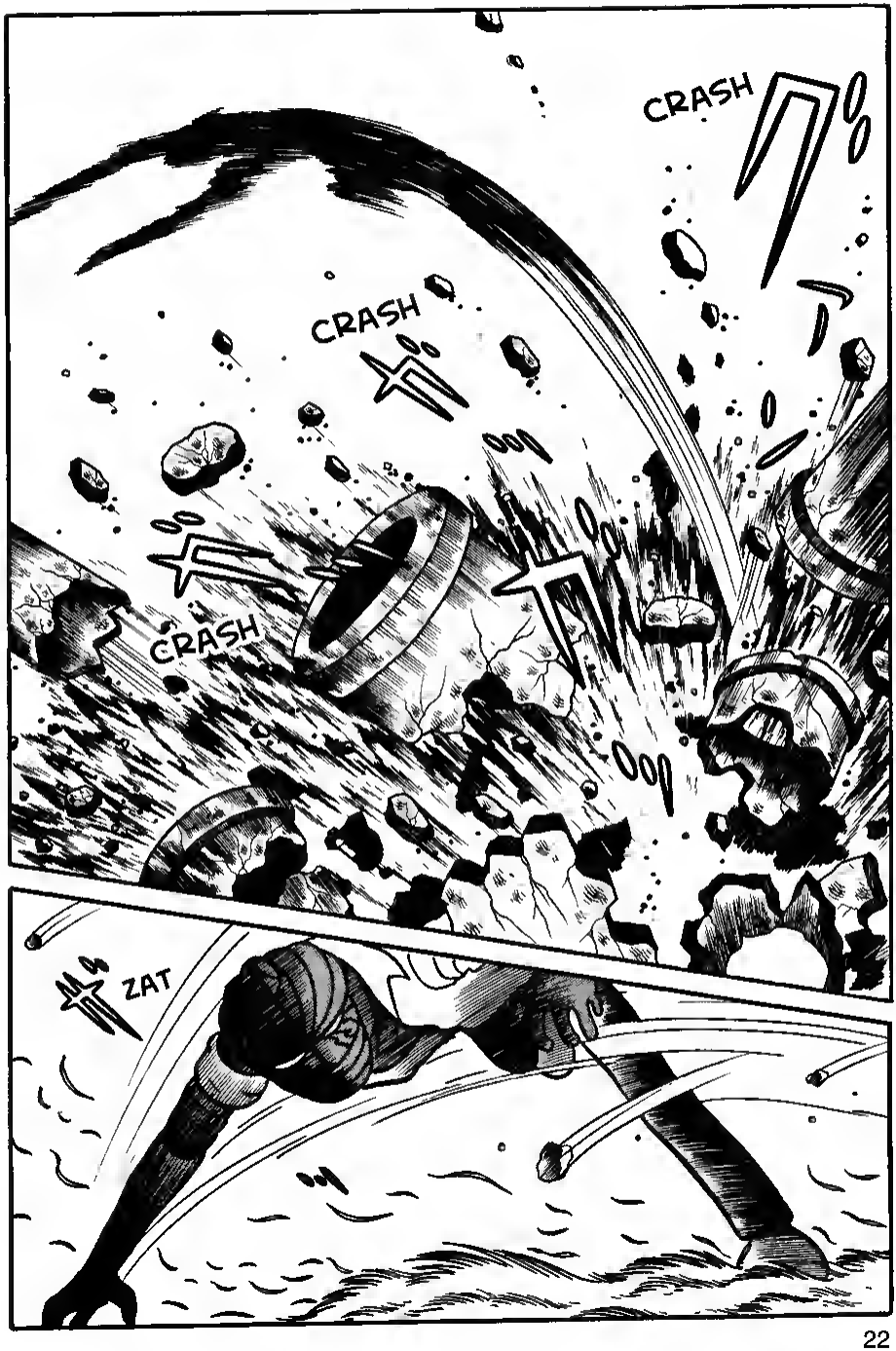
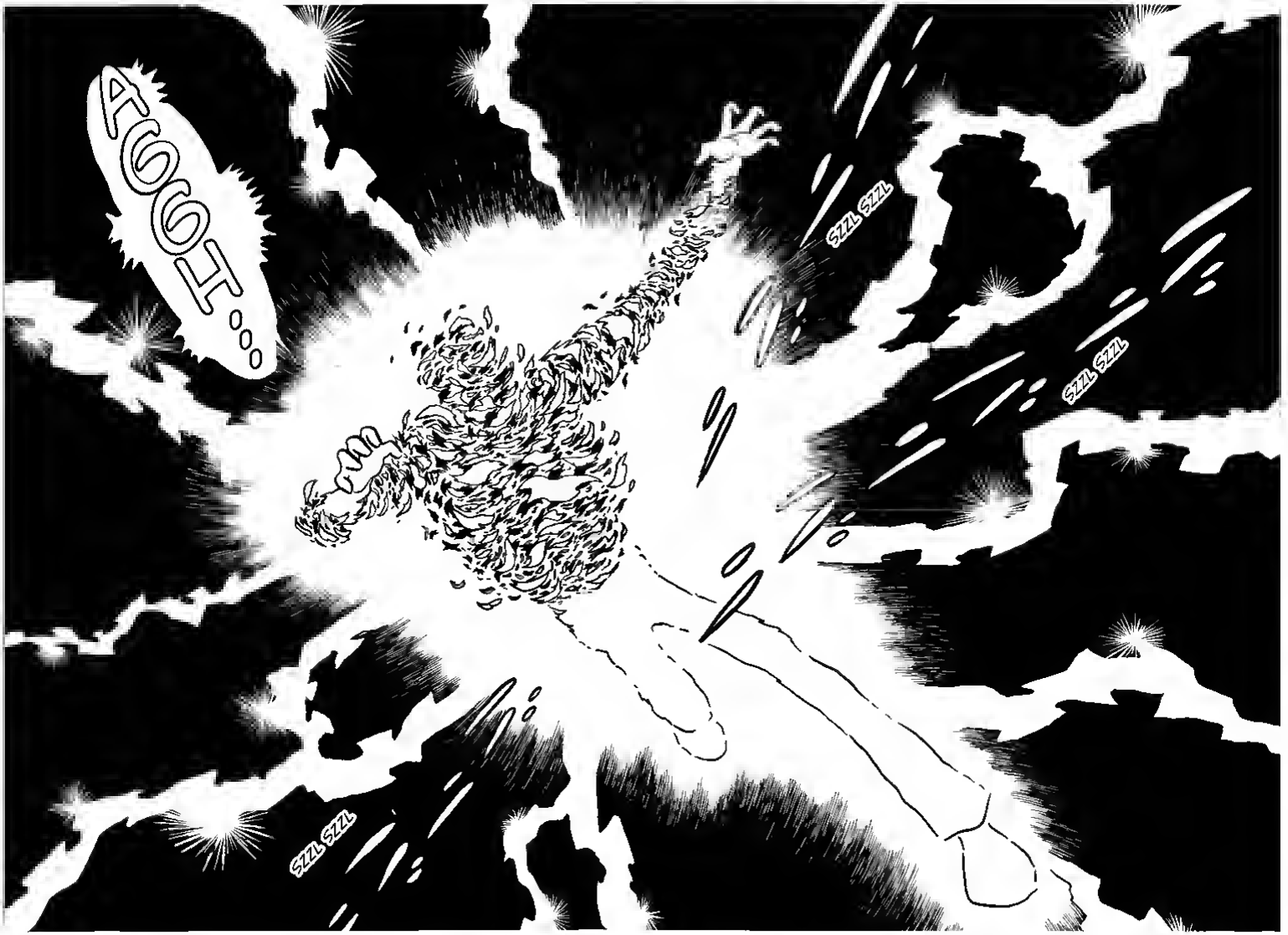
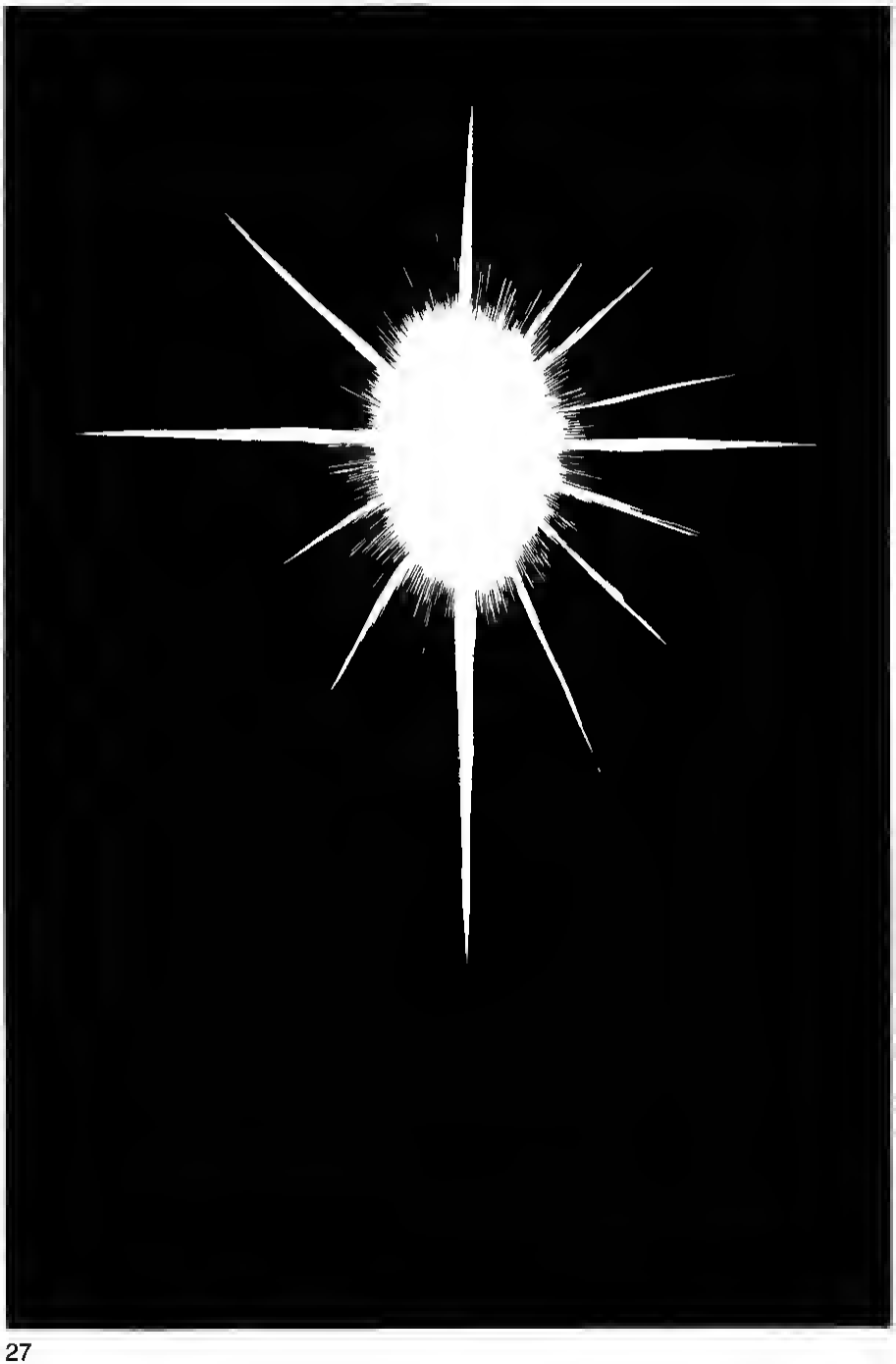
AGH!
AH!
TO A CHRYS-ALIS...!

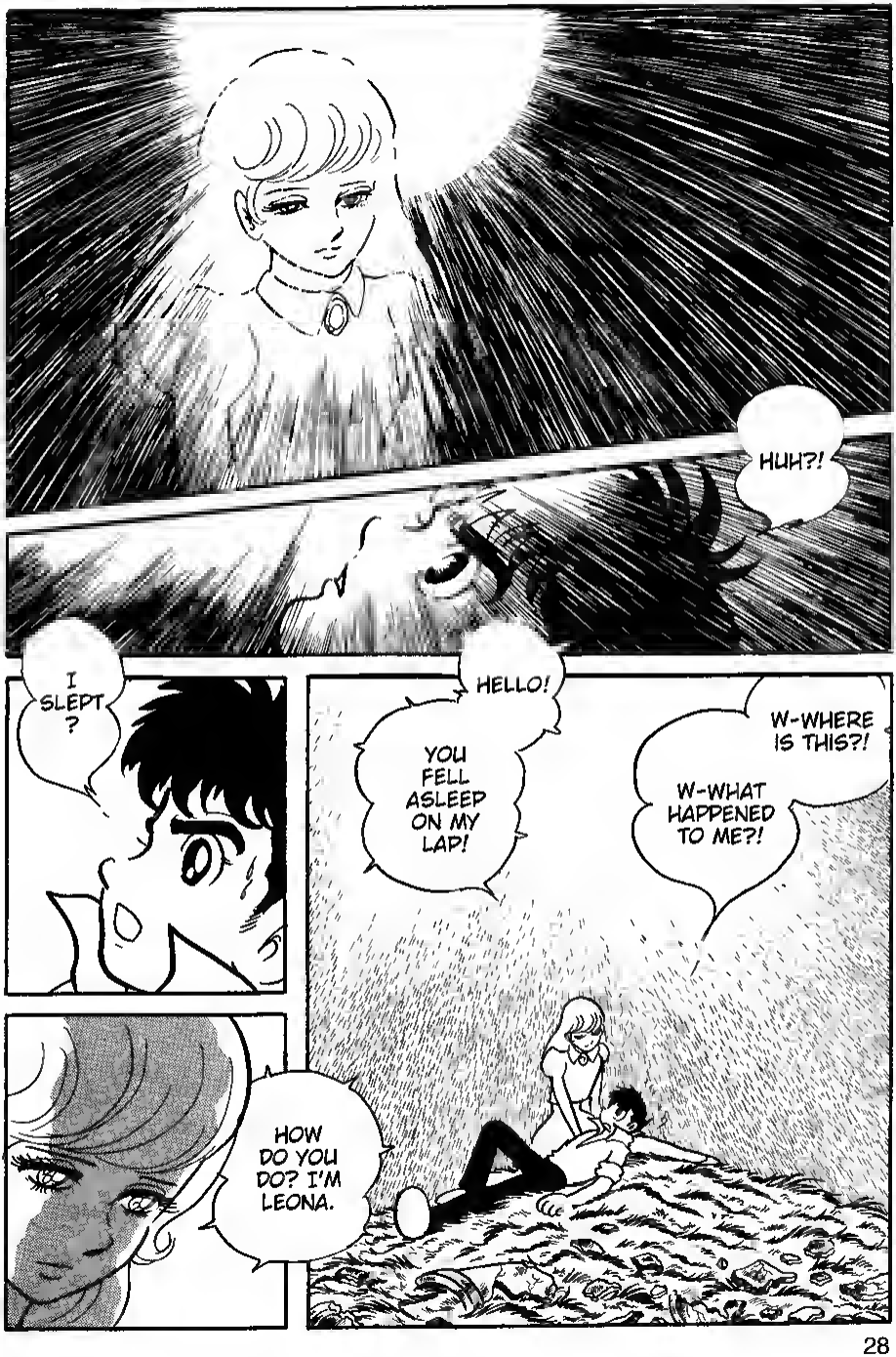

CRASH
CRASH
CRASH
ZAT

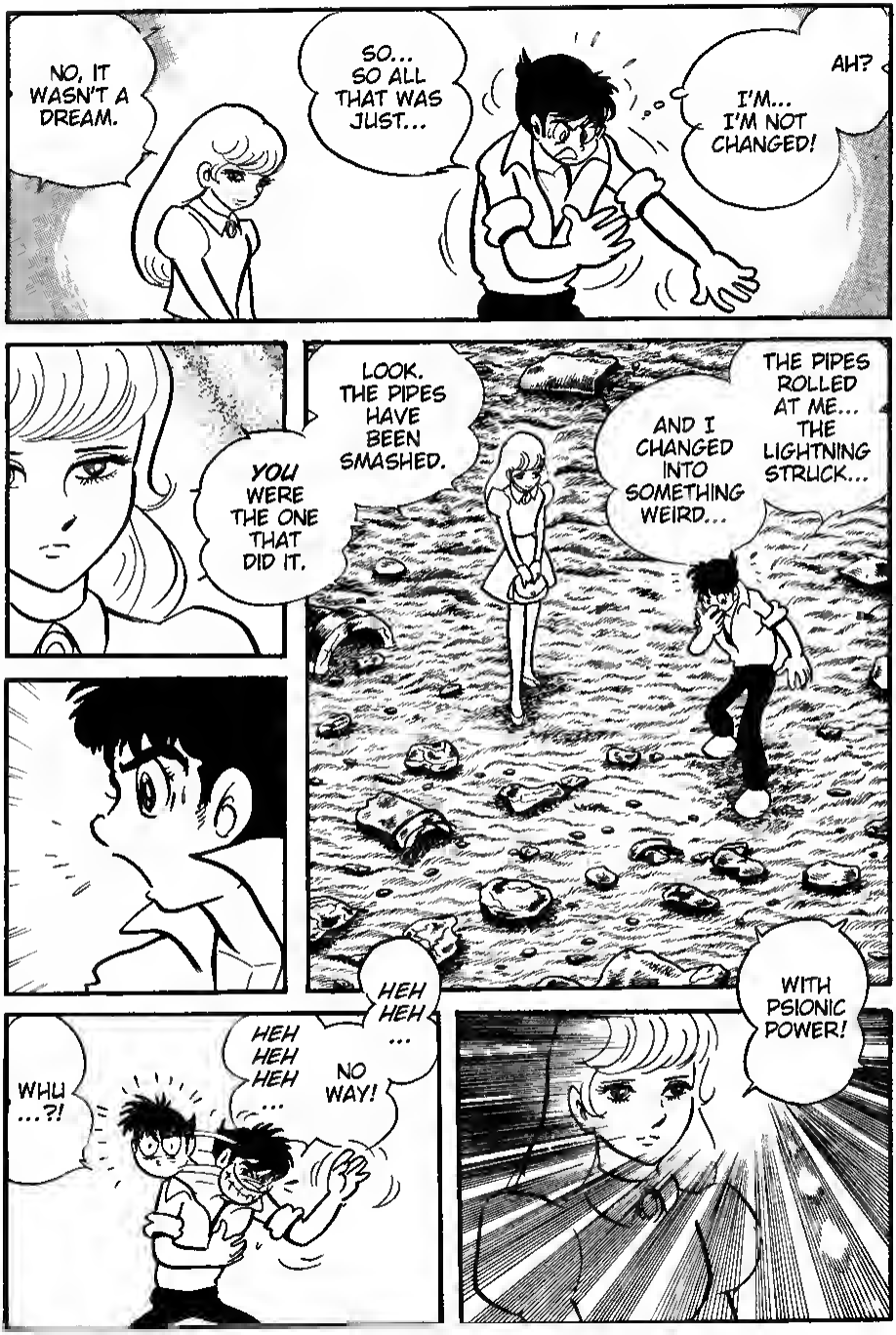
...TO A BUTTER-FLY!
FLASH


AGGH...
SZZL SZZL
SZZL SZZL
SZZL SZZL

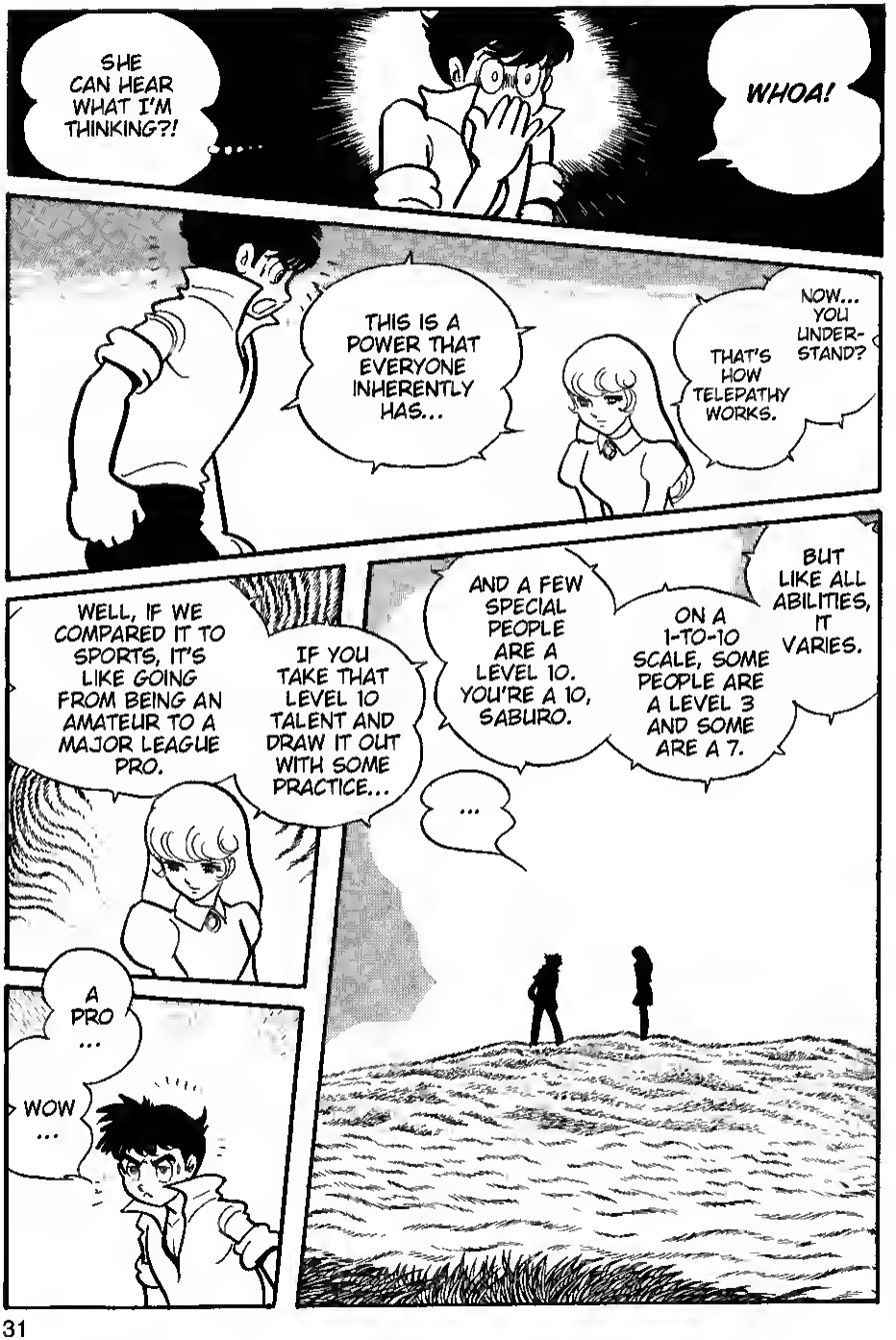
AAAH!!

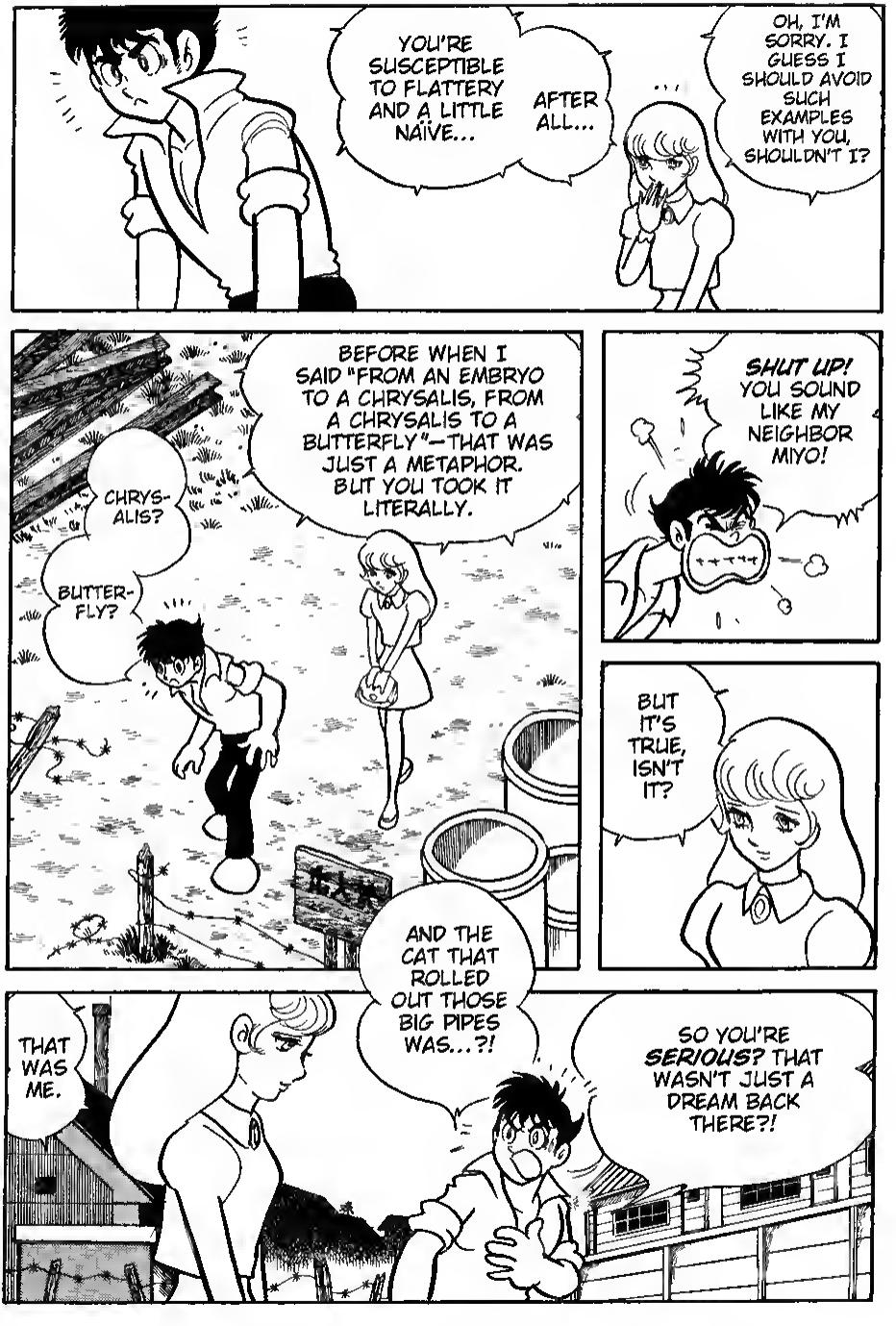



HUH?!
I SLEPT ?
HELLO!
YOU FELL ASLEEP ON MY LAP!
W-WHERE IS THIS?!
W-WHAT HAPPENED TO ME?!
HOW DO YOU DO? I'M LEONA.

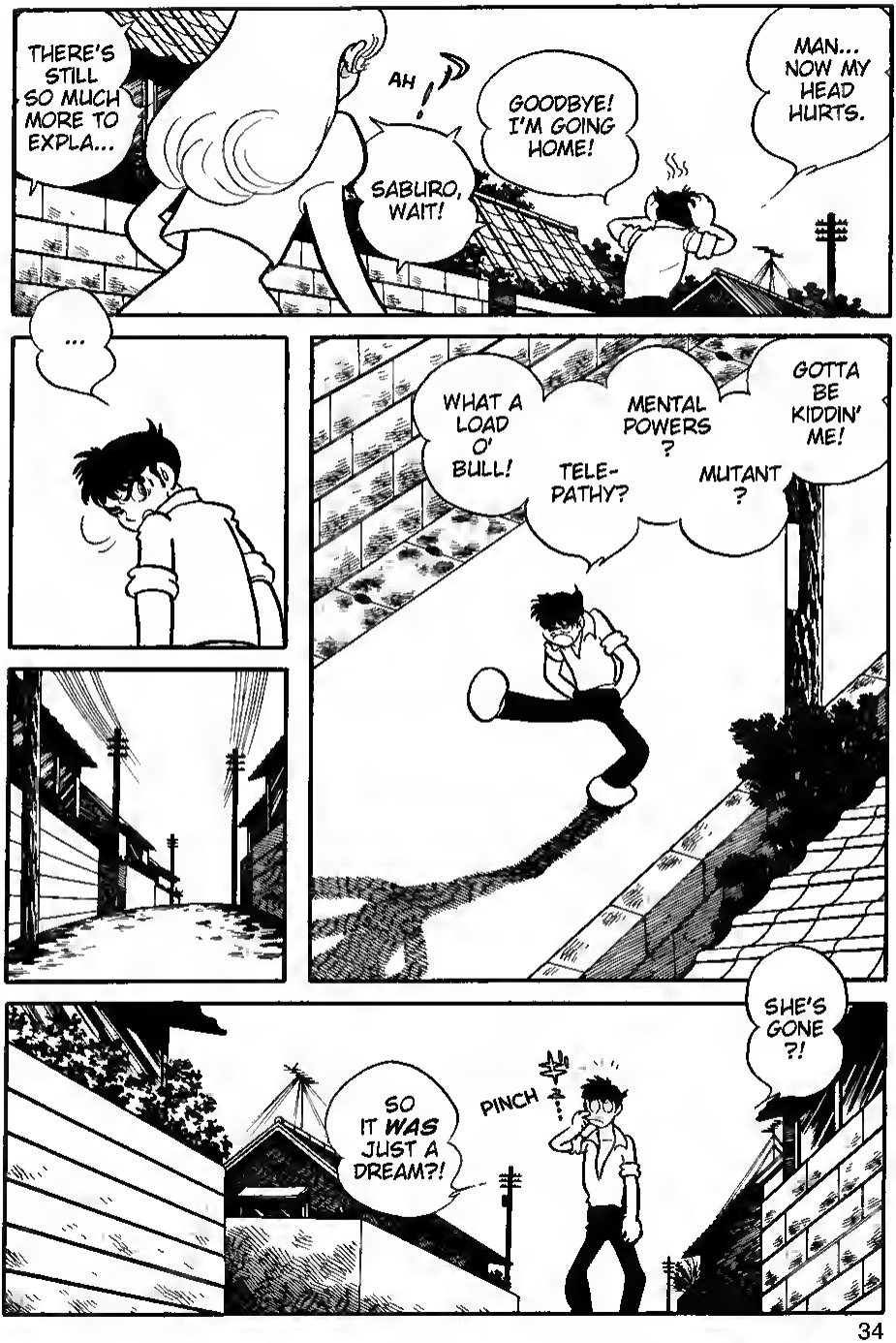

NO, IT WASN'T A DREAM.
SO... SO ALL THAT WAS JUST...
AH?
I'M... I'M NOT CHANGED!
YOU WERE THE ONE THAT DID IT.
LOOK. THE PIPES HAVE BEEN SMASHED.
AND I CHANGED INTO SOMETHING WEIRD...
THE PIPES ROLLED AT ME... THE LIGHTNING STRUCK...
WHU ...?!
HEH HEH HEH ...
NO WAY!
HEH HEH ...
WITH PSIONIC POWER!

I...I CAN UNDER-STAND ENGLISH ?!
NO, THAT CAN'T BE!
YOUR... YOUR MOUTH ISN'T MOVING!
YES...I'M SPEAKING DIRECTLY TO YOUR MIND.
IT'S CALLED TELEPATHY.
TELE-PATHY ?
IT'S A DIRECT MIND-TO-MIND COMMUNICATION.
YOU CAN DO IT TOO, SABURO.
I CAN DO IT TOO?
HOW I CAN SEND THOUGHTS TO HER?
WHAT THE HECK IS THIS WEIRD FOREIGN CHICK SAYING?!
WEIRD FOREIGN CHICK? HOW RUDE!
I TOLD YOU MY NAME IS LEONA!

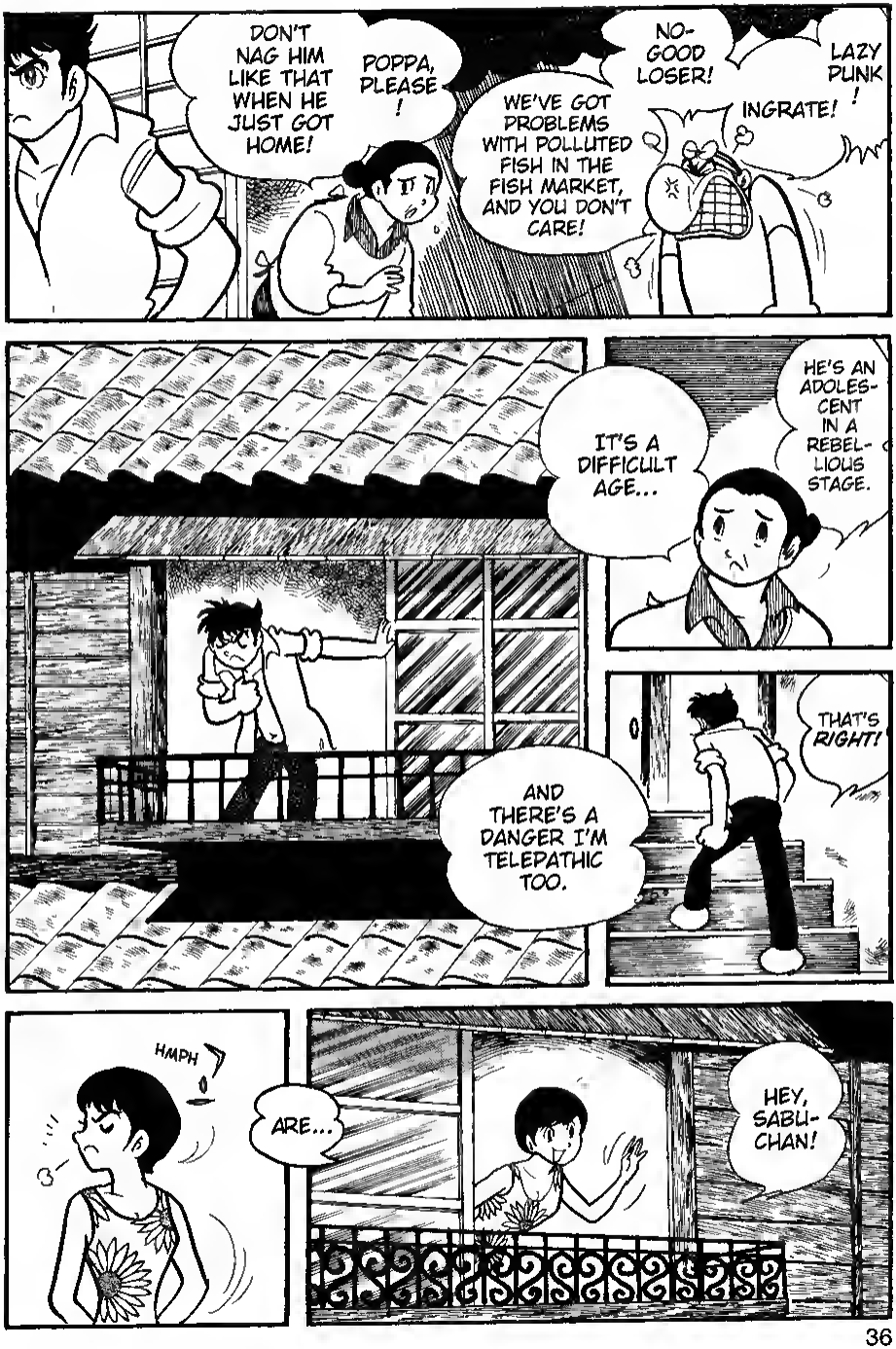

SHE CAN HEAR WHAT I'M THINKING?!
WHOA!
THIS IS A POWER THAT EVERYONE INHERENTLY HAS...
THAT'S HOW TELEPATHY WORKS.
NOW... YOU UNDER-STAND?
WELL, IF WE COMPARED IT TO SPORTS, IT'S LIKE GOING FROM BEING AN AMATEUR TO A MAJOR LEAGUE PRO.
IF YOU TAKE THAT LEVEL 10 TALENT AND DRAW IT OUT WITH SOME PRACTICE...
AND A FEW SPECIAL PEOPLE ARE A LEVEL 10. YOU'RE A 10, SABURO.
ON A 1-TO-10 SCALE, SOME PEOPLE ARE A LEVEL 3 AND SOME ARE A 7.
BUT LIKE ALL ABILITIES, IT VARIES.
...
A PRO ...
WOW ...


YOU'RE SUSCEPTIBLE TO FLATTERY AND A LITTLE NAÏVE...
AFTER ALL...
...
OH, I'M SORRY. I GUESS I SHOULD AVOID SUCH EXAMPLES WITH YOU, SHOULDN'T I?
BEFORE WHEN I SAID "FROM AN EMBRYO TO A CHRYSALIS, FROM A CHRYSALIS TO A BUTTERFLY"—THAT WAS JUST A METAPHOR. BUT YOU TOOK IT LITERALLY.
CHRYS-ALIS?
BUTTER-FLY?
SHUT UP! YOU SOUND LIKE MY NEIGHBOR MIYO!
BUT IT'S TRUE, ISN'T IT?
AND THE CAT THAT ROLLED OUT THOSE BIG PIPES WAS...?!
THAT WAS ME.
SO YOU'RE SERIOUS? THAT WASN'T JUST A DREAM BACK THERE?!

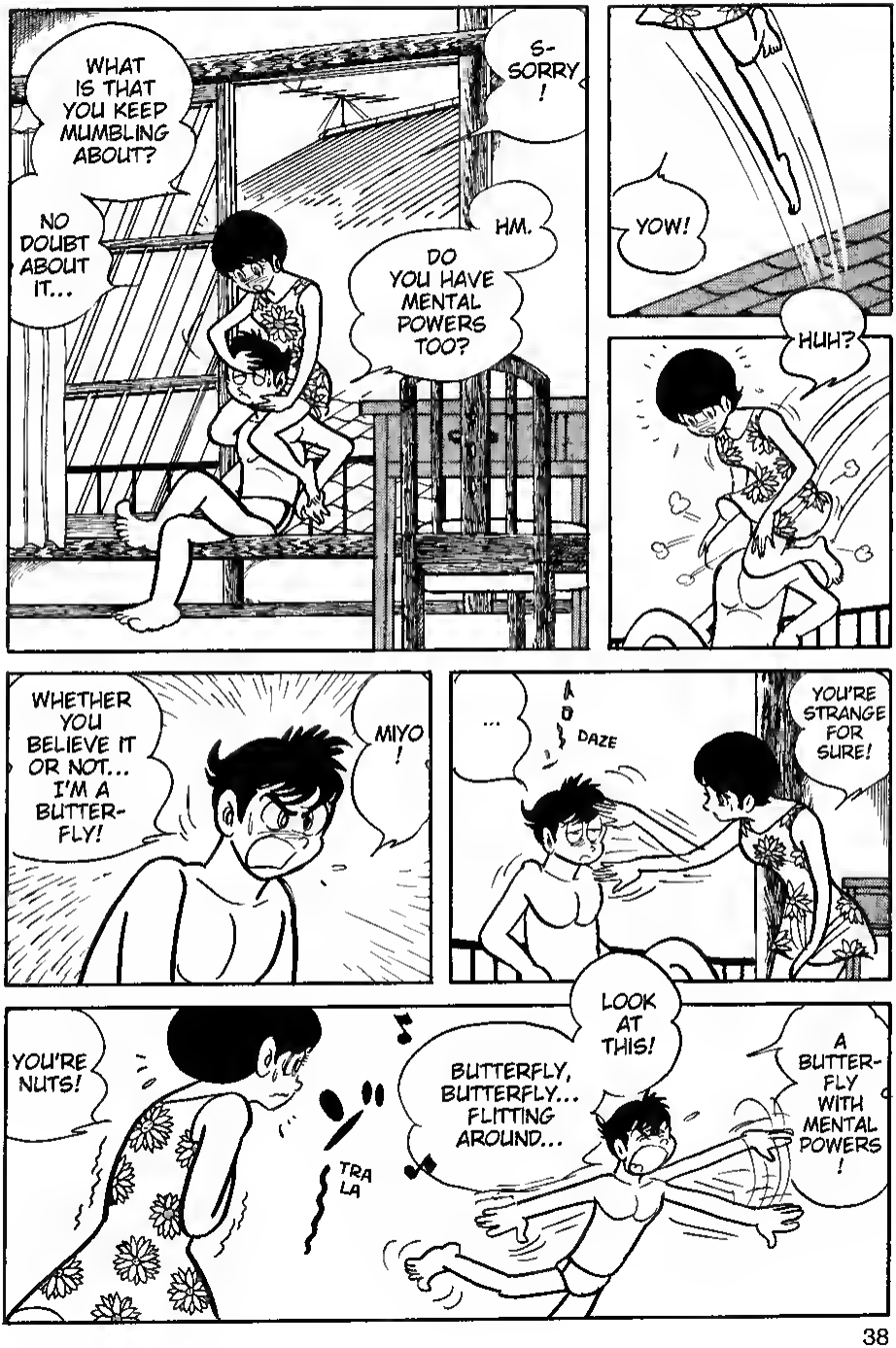
SHIVER
YOU HAVE INCREDIBLE MENTAL POWERS!
IT WAS JUST AS MASTER SARHA SAID...
I DID ALL THAT ON PURPOSE.
TO AWAKEN YOU AS A MUTANT AND DRAW OUT YOUR POWERS ...
WE'VE COME THIS FAR AND YOU'RE STILL SUSPICIOUS!
HMPH
I DON'T BELIEVE IT!
GIMME A BREAK!
THAT SOUNDS SO STUPID!
I'M NOT GONNA FALL FOR IT THAT EASILY!
THAT... THAT COMIC BOOK KIND OF STUFF...
SHUT UP!


THERE'S STILL SO MUCH MORE TO EXPLA...
AH!
SABURO, WAIT!
GOODBYE! I'M GOING HOME!
MAN... NOW MY HEAD HURTS.
...
WHAT A LOAD O' BULL!
TELE-PATHY?
MENTAL POWERS?
MUTANT?
GOTTA BE KIDDIN' ME!
SO IT WAS JUST A DREAM?!
PINCH
SHE'S GONE?!

SIGN: KAZETA FISH MARKET
風田鮮魚店
I'M HOME!
HEY, SABU.
CAN YOU HELP OUT IN THE STORE?
OR ARE YOU GONNA DO YOUR HOME-WORK?
OR ELSE HEATSTROKE... MY BRAIN'S GETTIN' MUSHY!
HEY, YOU...
AIN'T DOIN' NEITHER!


DON'T NAG HIM LIKE THAT WHEN HE JUST GOT HOME!
POPPA, PLEASE!
WE'VE GOT PROBLEMS WITH POLLUTED FISH IN THE FISH MARKET, AND YOU DON'T CARE!
NO-GOOD LOSER!
LAZY PUNK!
INGRATE!
IT'S A DIFFICULT AGE...
HE'S AN ADOLESCENT IN A REBELLIOUS STAGE.
AND THERE'S A DANGER I'M TELEPATHIC TOO.
THAT'S RIGHT!
HMPH
ARE...
HEY, SABU-CHAN!

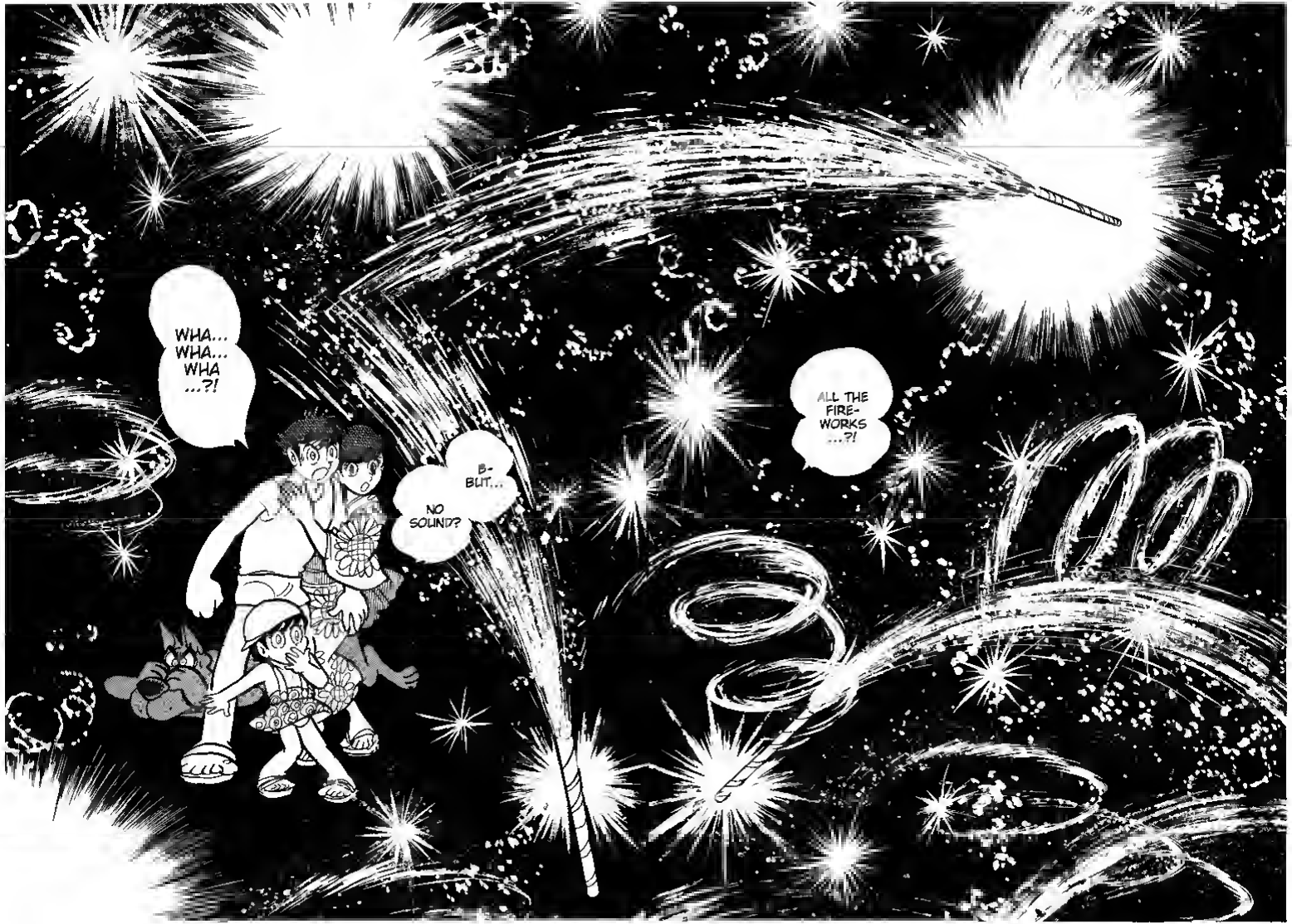
?
...
I'M A MUTANT.
WHAT'S UP?
WHY ARE YOU SO SPACED OUT?
HEY!
OW OW OW ...
THESE TILES ARE HOT!
I GOT... MENTAL POWERS!
WHAT?
WHAT KIND OF NON-SENSE IS THAT?!


WHAT IS THAT YOU KEEP MUMBLING ABOUT?
S-SORRY!
NO DOUBT ABOUT IT...
HM.
DO YOU HAVE MENTAL POWERS TOO?
YOW!
HUH?
WHETHER YOU BELIEVE IT OR NOT... I'M A BUTTER-FLY!
MIYO!
...
DAZE
YOU'RE STRANGE FOR SURE!
YOU'RE NUTS!
TRA LA
BUTTERFLY, BUTTERFLY... FLITTING AROUND...
LOOK AT THIS!
A BUTTER-FLY WITH MENTAL POWERS!

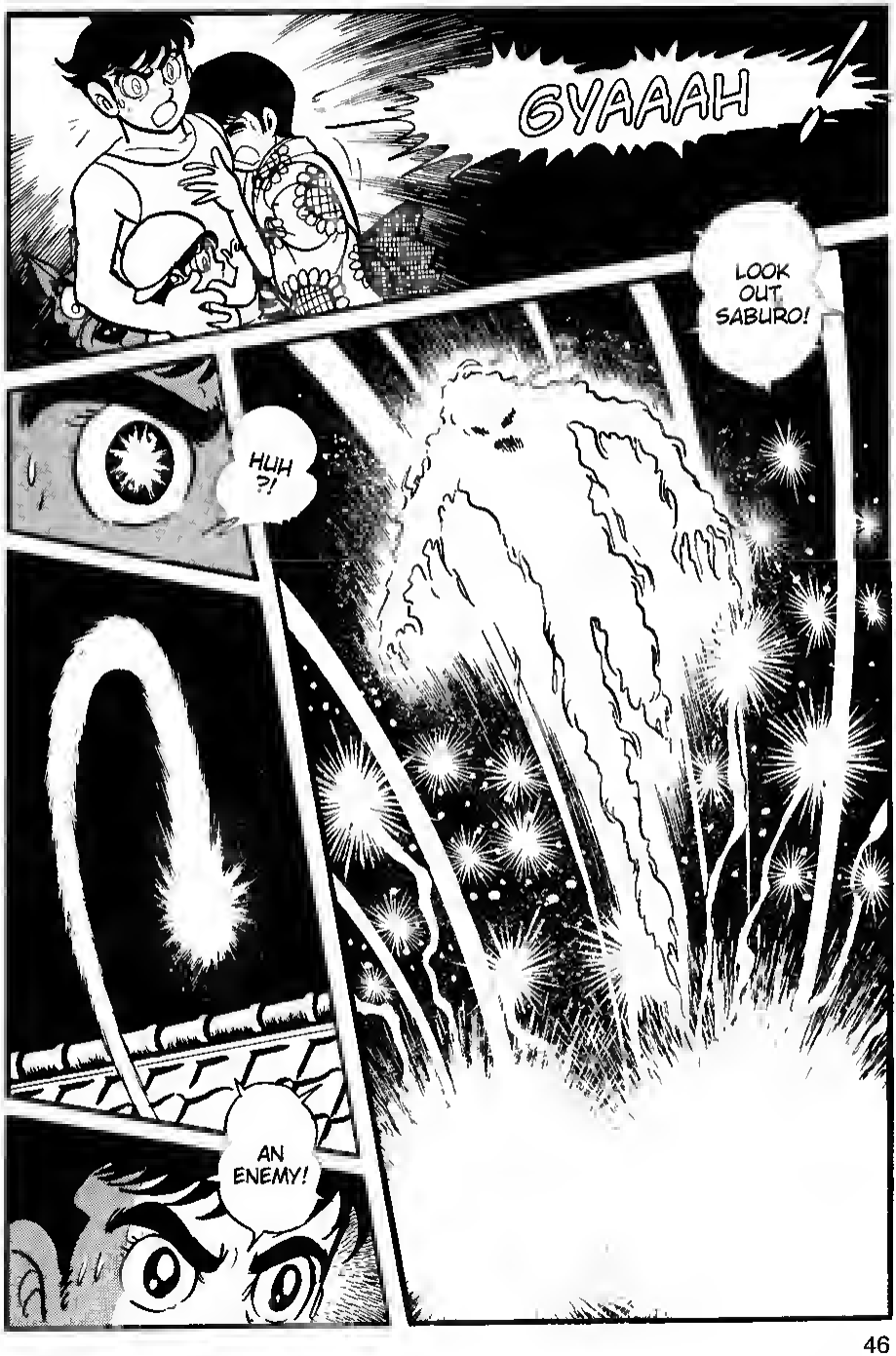
HEY!
HO!
HM... I CAN'T TRANS-FORM AT ALL!
GOOD-BYE!
YOU'VE BEEN WATCHING TOO MUCH TV!
HM?
I GUESS IT REALLY WAS A DREAM.

AH HA!
PER-FECT!
IT'S COOLED DOWN A LITTLE... SO MAYBE YOU'VE SOBERED UP.
WANT SOME? HERE!
PRETTY, ISN'T IT?
HEY, HEY!
I JUST COMPLI-MENTED YOU. IS THAT CRAZY?
YOU'RE STILL CRAZY!
YOU IN THAT KIMO-NO!
HOW SEXY!
PANT PANT PANT

HACHIRO... WHAT IS IT, BOY?
HM?
GRR GRR GRR
HM?
HUH?
AH!
GRR
ON BAG: FIREWORKS
WHZZ WHZZ
POP POP POP
WHZZ WHZZ


WHA... WHA... WHA ...?!
B-BUT...
NO SOUND?
ALL THE FIRE-WORKS ...?!

第2章 ぶきみな先生
CHAPTER 2: THE STRANGE TEACHER

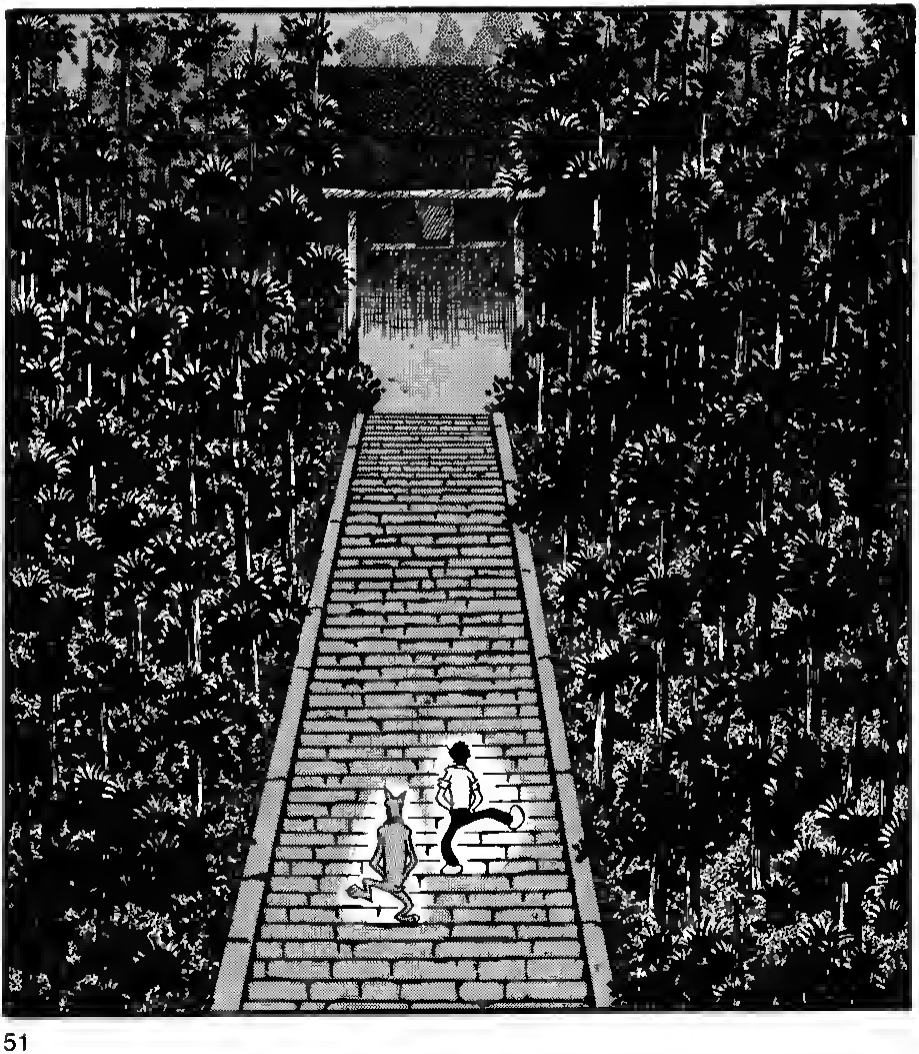

GYAAAH!
LOOK OUT, SABURO!
HUH ?!
AN ENEMY!

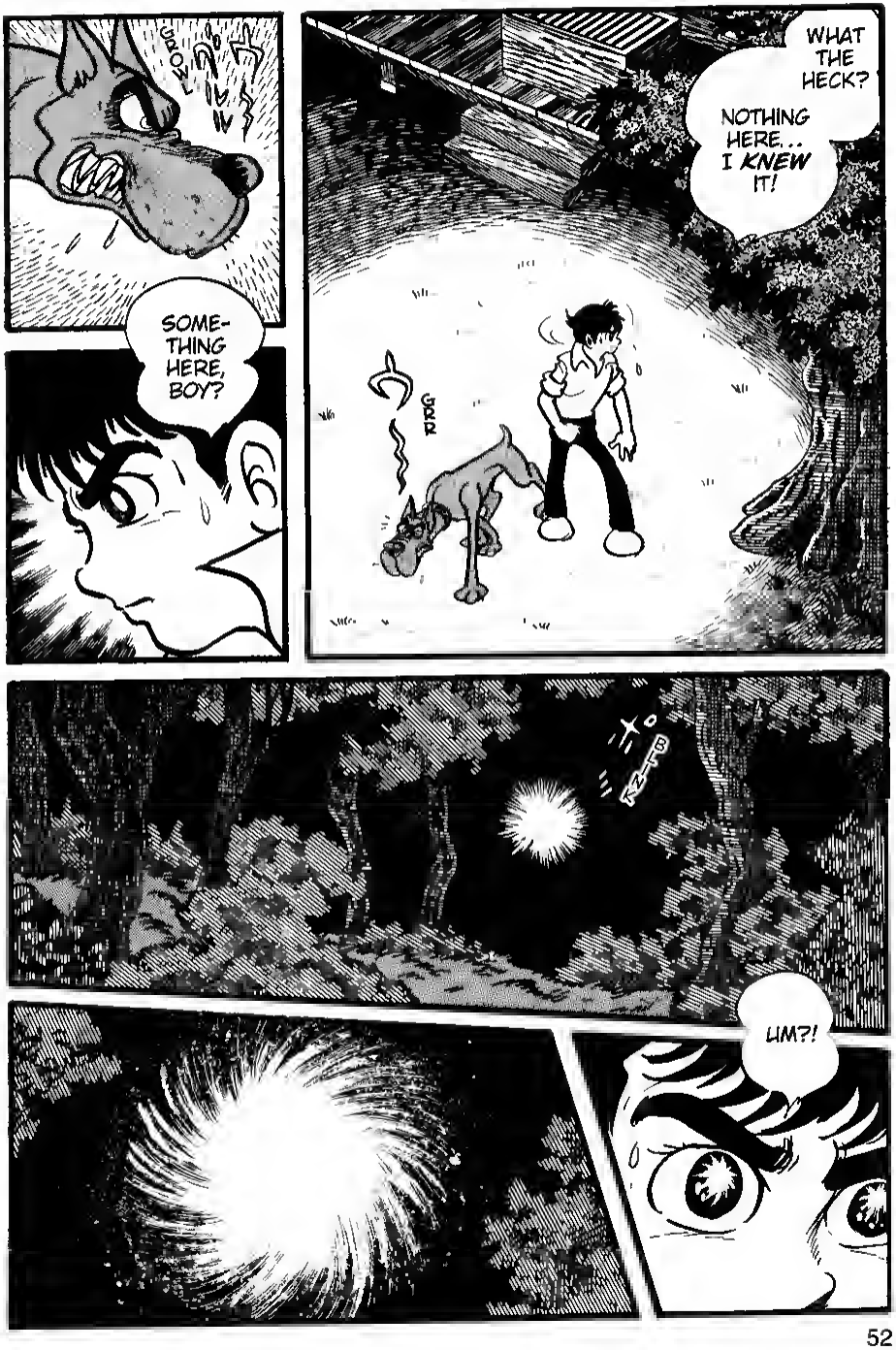
GO AFTER HIM... QUICKLY!
ATTACK IS THE BEST DEFENSE!
CRACKLE CRACKLE
SHUU SHUU SHUU
BAN BAN BAN
IT... IT'S THAT GIRL'S VOICE AGAIN?!
HE'S OUT TO KILL YOU!
AH?!
PFF

THE FLAMES FROM THE FIREWORKS LOOKED LIKE A HUMAN.
WHEW
YEAH ...
DID YOU SEE THAT, MIYO?
DID YOU SEE THAT ?
WHY DID ALL THE FIRE-WORKS SUDDENLY ...?!
OH MY GOOD-NESS!
SSSHH
SHUU
FIREWORKS ARE DANGEROUS, SO YOU NEED TO BE CAREFUL!
YES, SIR.
YOU'RE GONNA UPSET THE NEIGHBORS WITH ALL THIS RACKET, YOU KNOW!
BUT HACHIRO ...
MIYO THINKS THAT WAS JUST AN OPTICAL ILLUSION!
GRR
GROWL

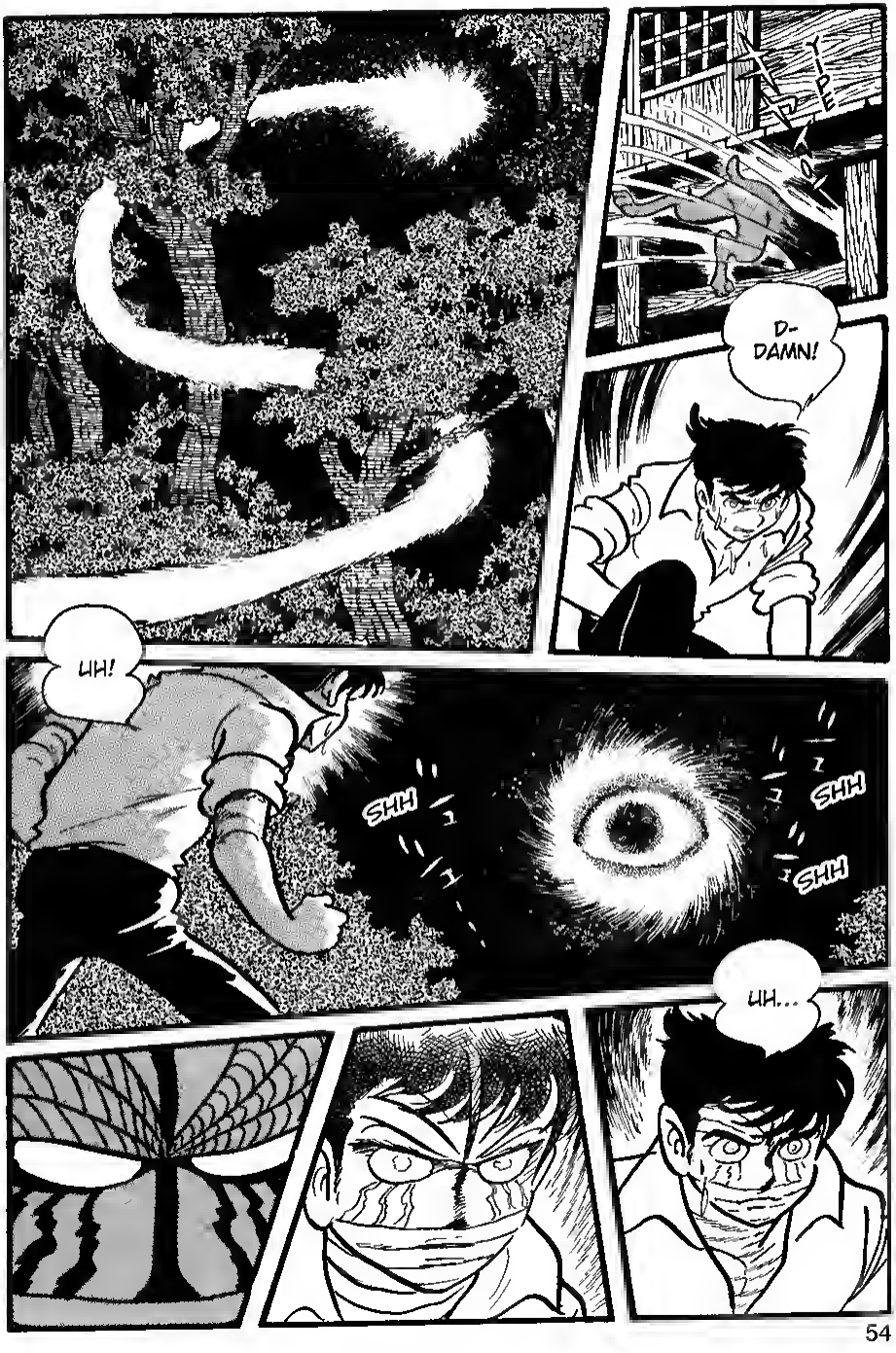
SO HACHIRO THE DOG IS THE ONLY ONE THAT NOTICES IT.
ANIMALS LIKE DOGS AND CATS HAVE SENSES THAT HUMANS DON'T... I READ THAT SOMEWHERE.
THE ENEMY IS BEHIND THE PARK... INSIDE THE SHRINE GROUNDS.
COME ON, GET MOVING!
HE SENSES SOMETHING HIDING NEARBY.
GROWL GROWL
BUT THAT FIREBALL GUY IS JUST YOUR DOING, ISN'T IT?
LIAR!
YOU SAY IT'S AN ENEMY!
NO, THAT WASN'T MY DOING.
...THE WAY TO USE TELEPATHY!
SO YOU FINALLY REMEMBER ...
THE WAY TO USE TELEPATHY?!

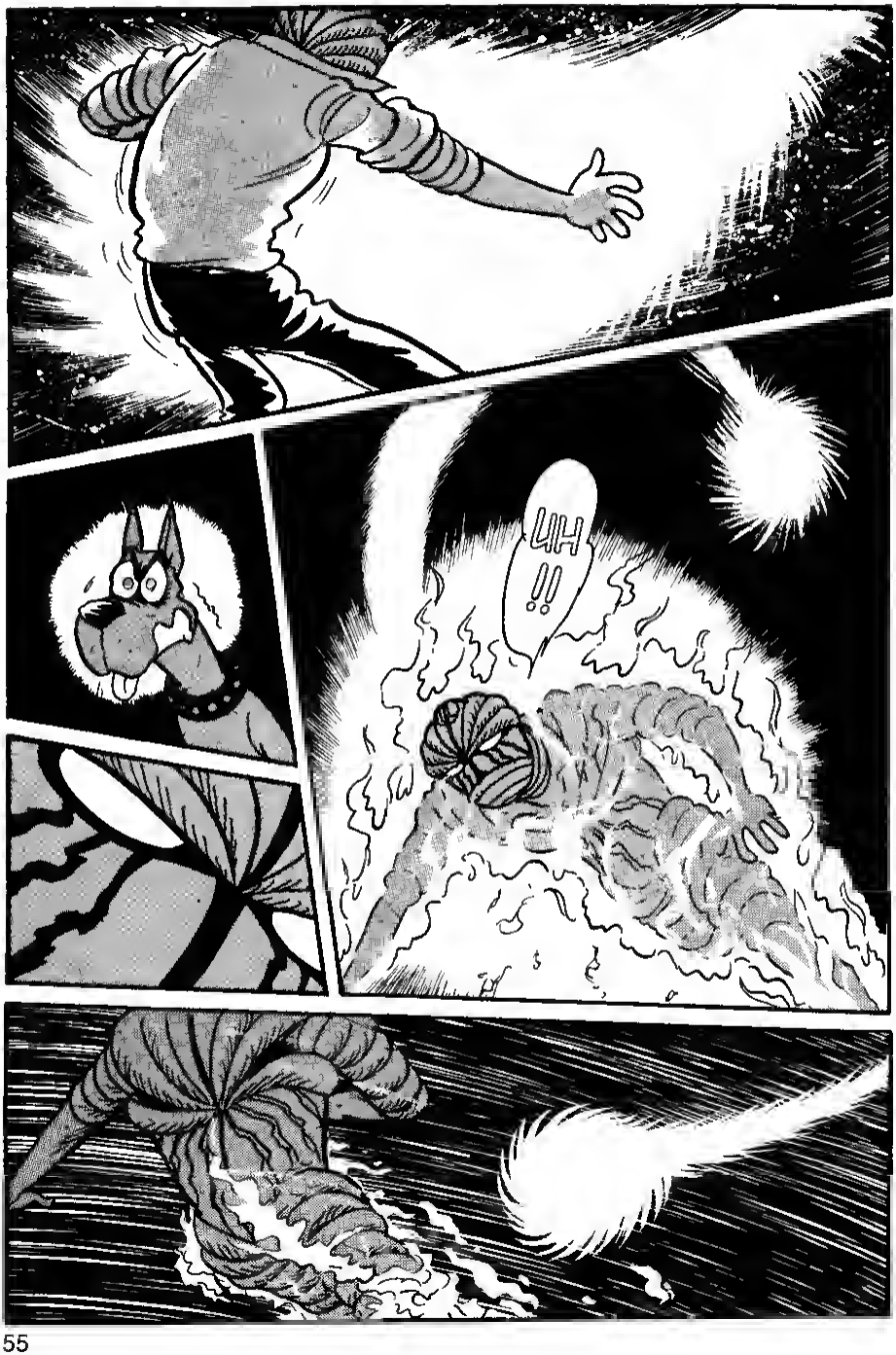
YEAH. LATER.
GOOD NIGHT, SABU-CHAN.
BAD DOG, HACHI-RO!
ALWAYS GETTING SO EXCITED!
WOOF
I'M A NICE GUY... TOO NAÏVE.
GIANTS
BEHIND THE PARK, INSIDE THE SHRINE?
HMPH! I'M PROBABLY JUST GETTING TRICKED.
WELL, EVEN WITH JUST A DOG, I FEEL BETTER THAN BEING ALL ALONE.
HACHIRO, YOU COMING WITH ME?
HM ?




GROWL
SOME-THING HERE, BOY?
GRR
WHAT THE HECK?
NOTHING HERE... I KNEW IT!
UM?!

AH...
AGH!...
ZA
ZA
ZA


KYIPE
D-DAMN!
UH!
SHH
SHH
SHH
UH...


UH
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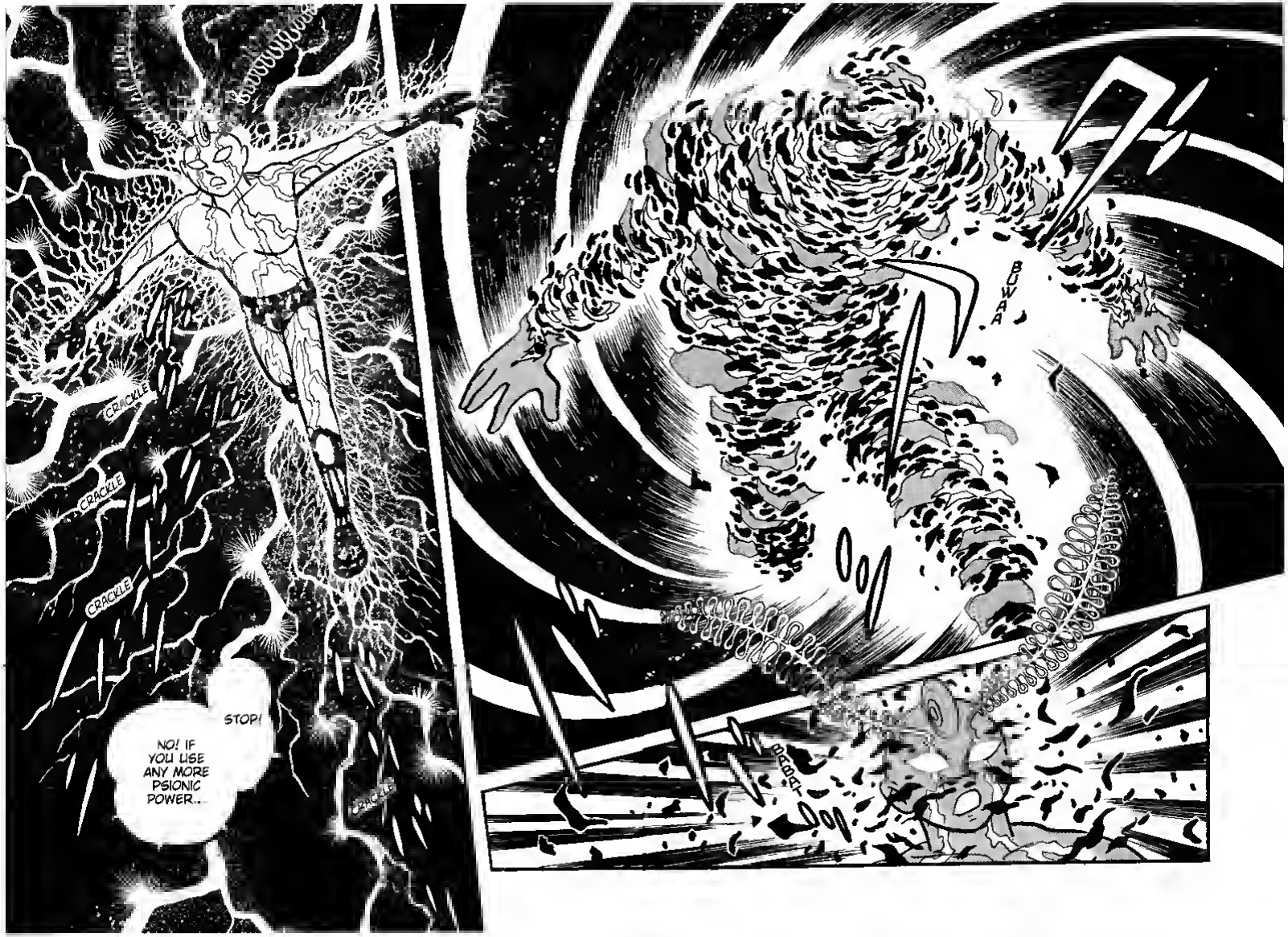
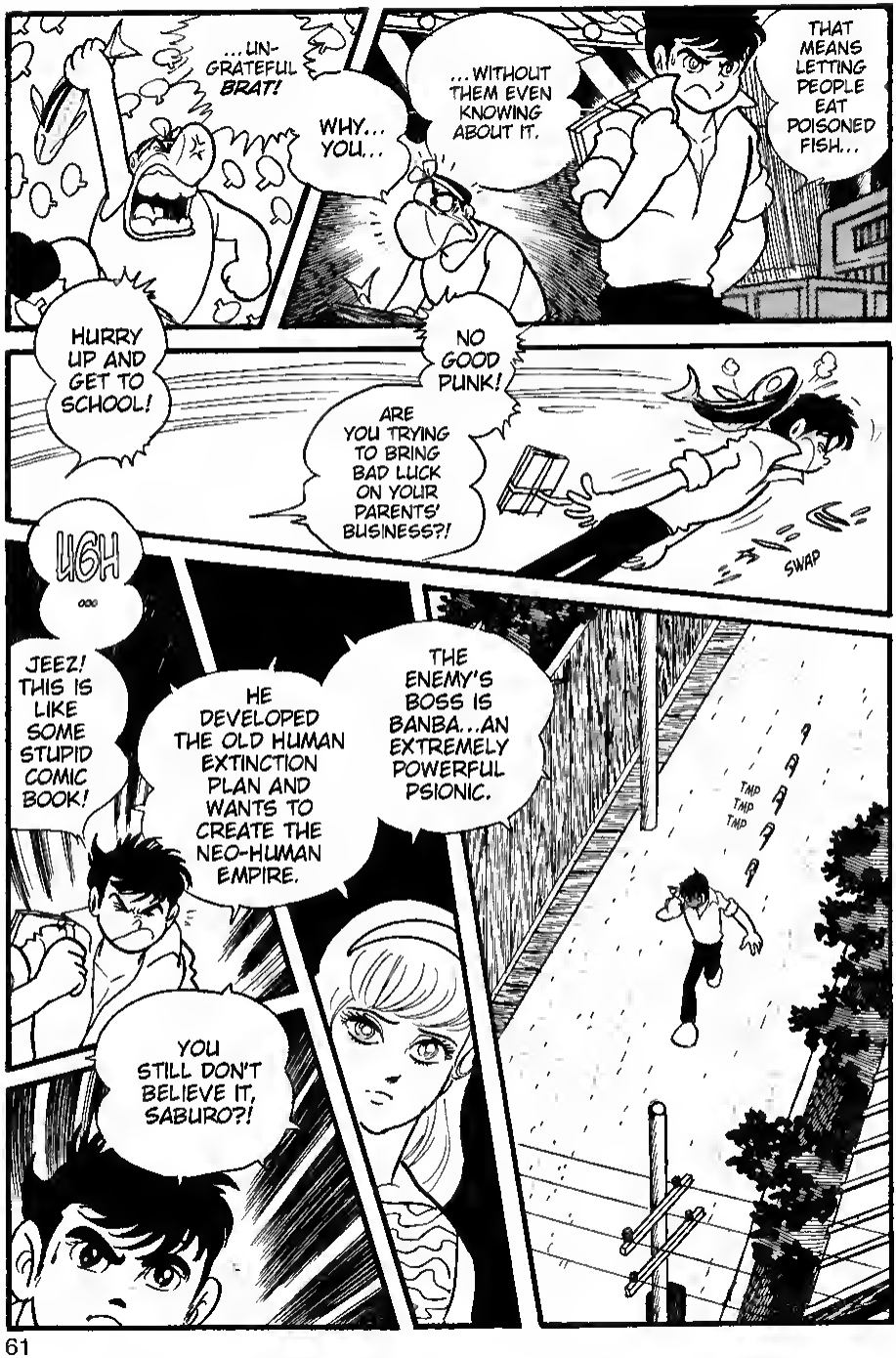

CRACKLE
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
STOP!
NO! IF YOU USE ANY MORE PSIONIC POWER..
BUWA
DOOM

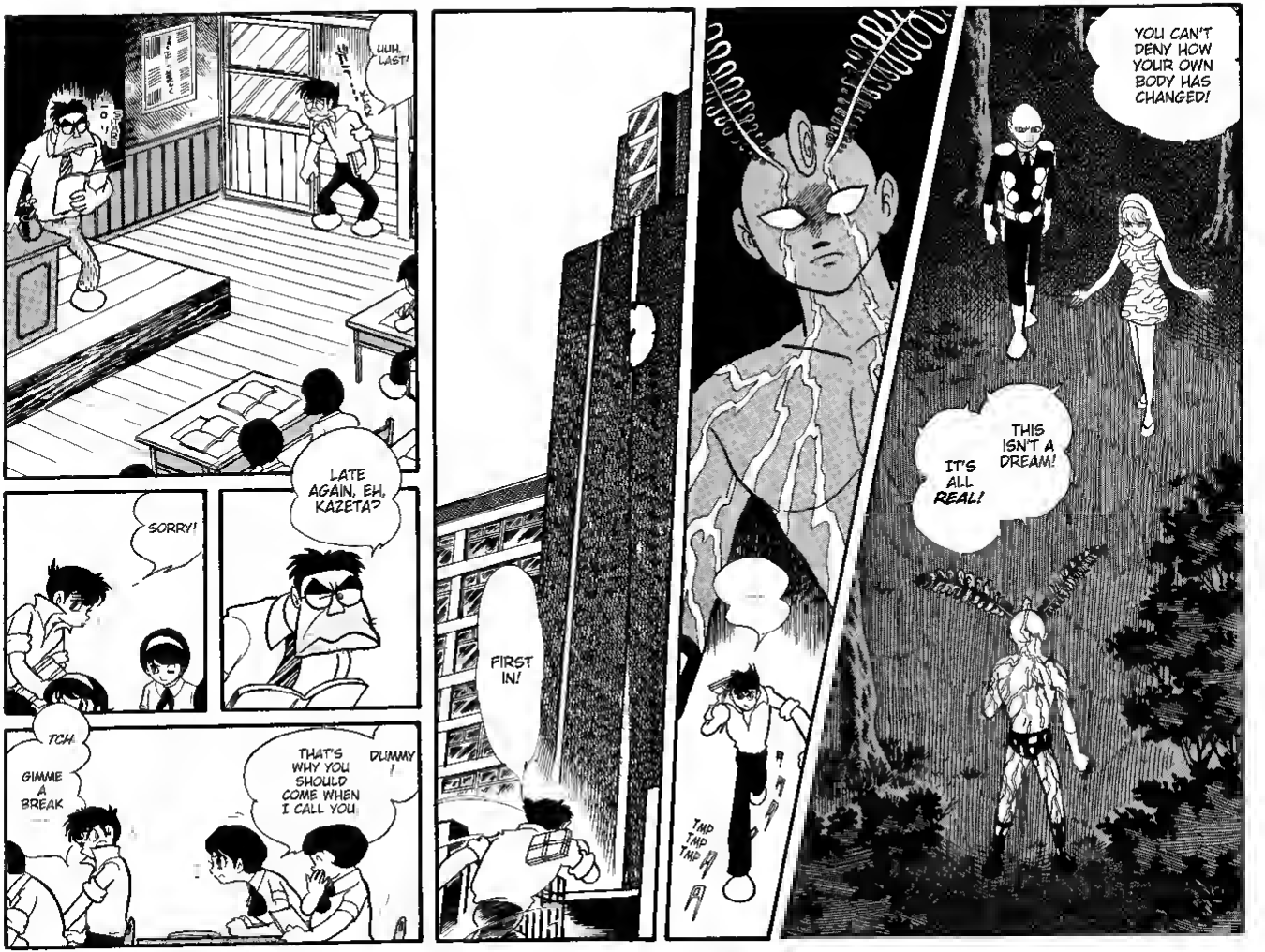
THAT'S JUST ...
...IRAIZA
WE ONLY DID IT TO MAKE YOU BELIEVE...
HE'S ONE OF OUR COMRADES.
...THAT YOU HAVE PSIONIC POWERS...
...AND THAT IT'S IMPERATIVE THAT YOU JOIN US TO FIGHT AGAINST THE REAL ENEMY.

YOU'RE RUNNING AROUND AT NIGHT WITHOUT YOUR CLOTHES... ARE YOU CRAZY?!
JUST WHEN THE FISH SHOP LOOKS LIKE IT'S ABOUT TO GO UNDER...
YOU IGNORANT CHOWDER-HEAD!
KAZETA FISH MARKET

SIGN: KAZETA FISH MARKET

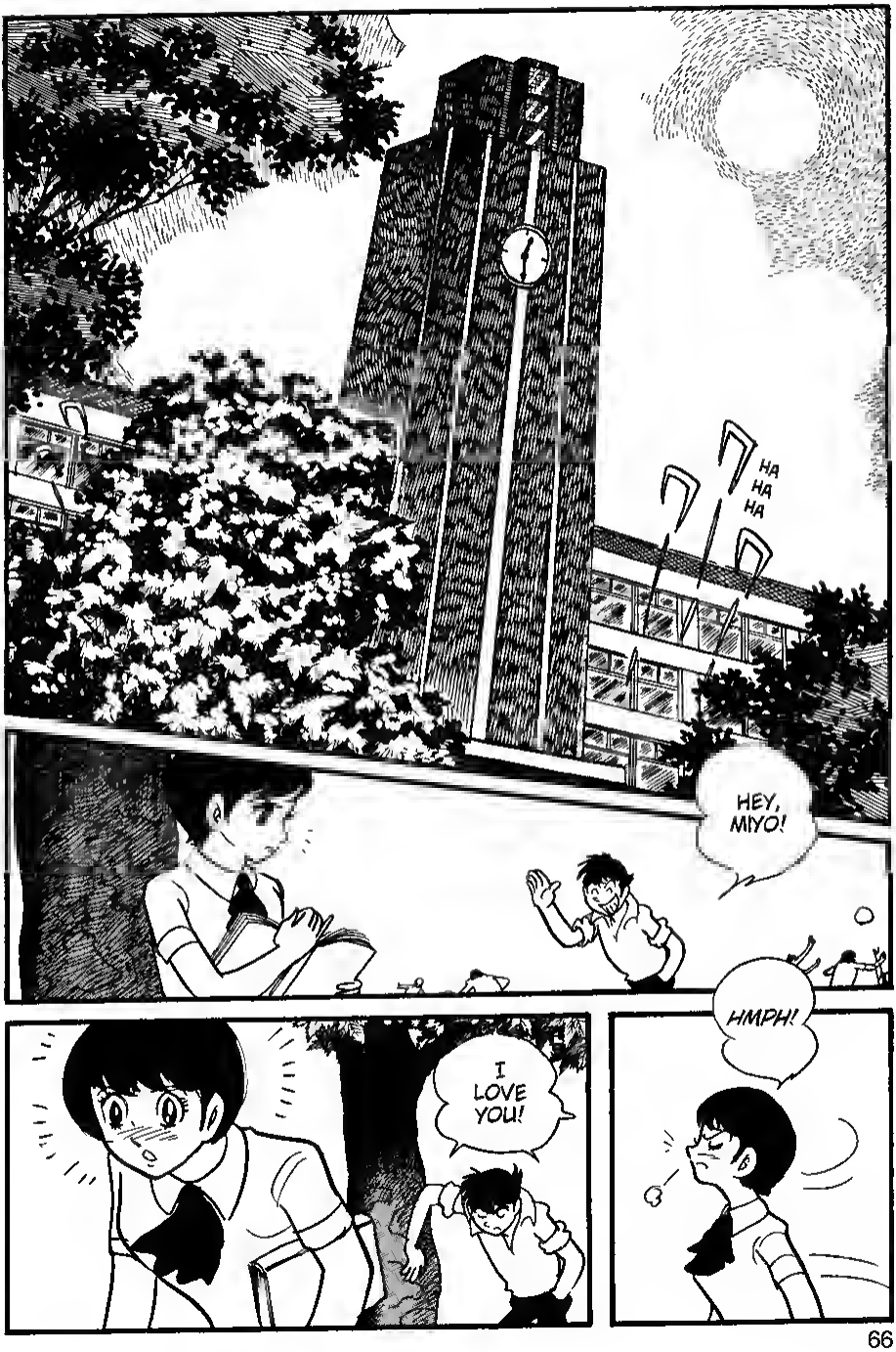
MERCURY.
PCB.
POLLUTED FISH.
HM?
THE ENEMY IS PLOTTING TO WIPE OUT THE "OLD" HUMAN RACE— MEANING ORDINARY MODERN HUMANS.
THEY USE SEVERAL METHODS ...
FOR EXAMPLE ...
...HYPNOTIZING THE PRESIDENTS OF COMPANIES THAT HAVE FACTORIES ON THE SHORES OF THE JAPANESE ARCHIPELAGO...
...THEN HAVING THEM DELIBERATELY RELEASE TOXIC WASTE INTO THE WATER.

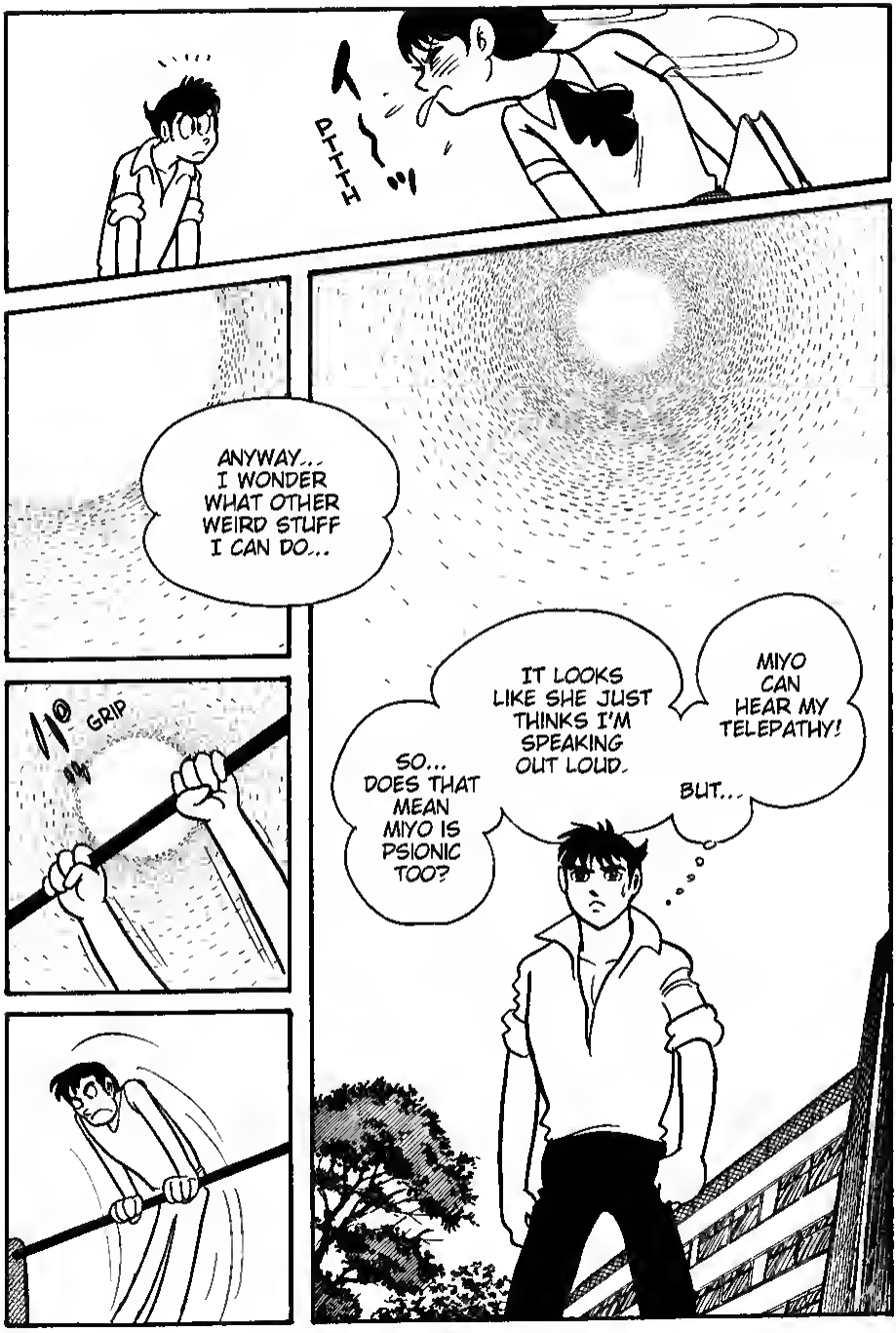

...UN-GRATEFUL BRAT!
WHY... YOU...
...WITHOUT THEM EVEN KNOWING ABOUT IT.
THAT MEANS LETTING PEOPLE EAT POISONED FISH...
HURRY UP AND GET TO SCHOOL!
NO GOOD PUNK!
ARE YOU TRYING TO BRING BAD LUCK ON YOUR PARENTS' BUSINESS?!
SWAP
UGH ooo
JEEZ! THIS IS LIKE SOME STUPID COMIC BOOK!
HE DEVELOPED THE OLD HUMAN EXTINCTION PLAN AND WANTS TO CREATE THE NEO-HUMAN EMPIRE.
THE ENEMY'S BOSS IS BANBA...AN EXTREMELY POWERFUL PSIONIC.
TMP TMP TMP
YOU STILL DON'T BELIEVE IT, SABURO?!


UUH, LAST!
LATE AGAIN, EH, KAZETA?
SORRY!
TCH.
GIMME A BREAK
THAT'S WHY YOU SHOULD COME WHEN I CALL YOU
DUMMY
FIRST IN!
TMP TMP TMP
YOU CAN'T DENY HOW YOUR OWN BODY HAS CHANGED!
THIS ISN'T A DREAM!
IT'S ALL REAL!

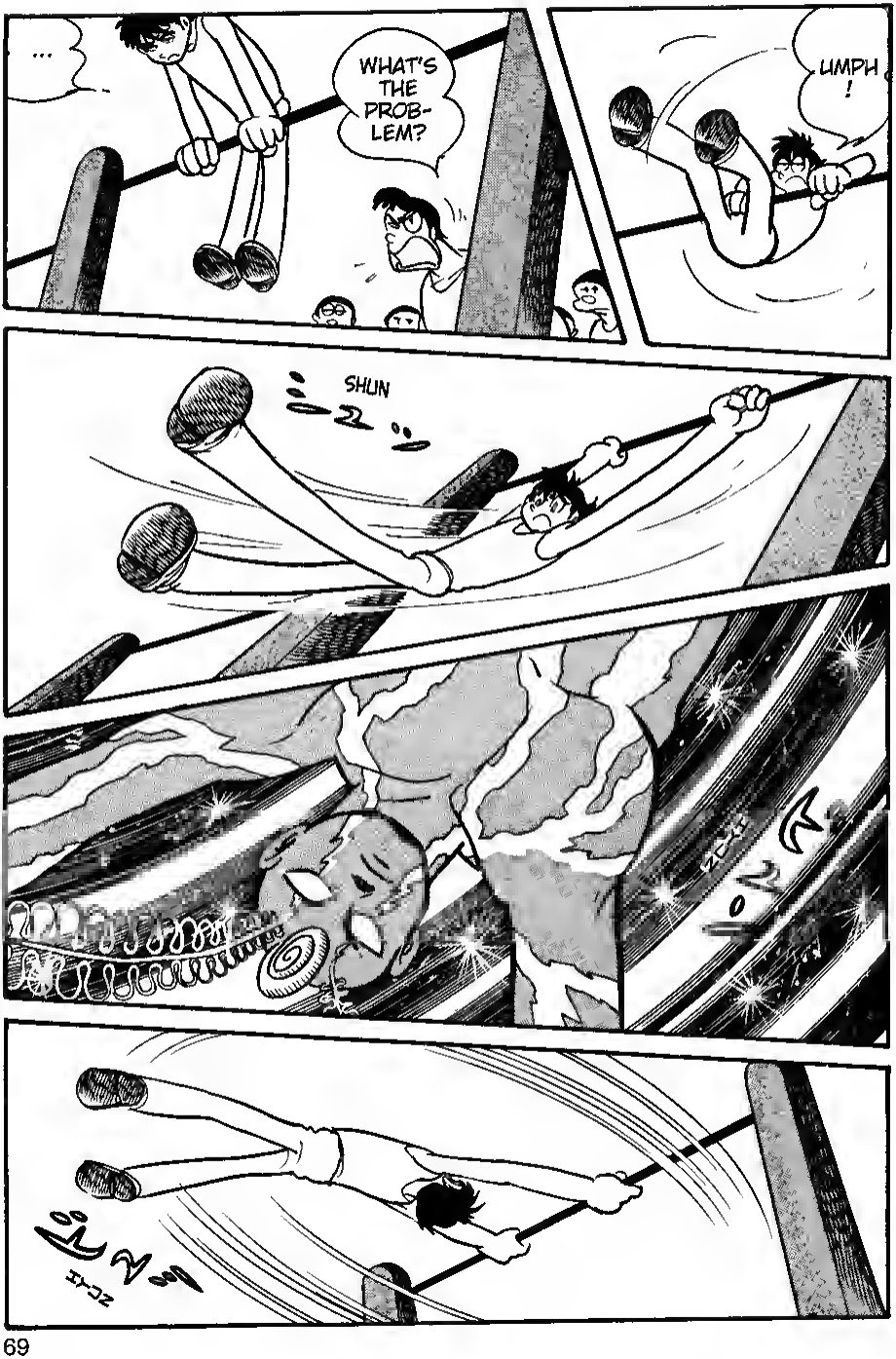
KNOCK OFF THE TALKING!
BE QUIET!
KAZETA!
GAH!
HEY!
YOU ANSWERED ME BEFORE WITH TELEPATHY!
YOU'RE ALSO A PSIONIC!
TELE-PATHY...
HM... OKAY ...
LET'S TRY AN EXPERI-MENT!
TCH... THERE'S NO WAY I CAN GET TO SCHOOL THEN!
THAT'S STILL SLEEP TIME!
WHEN I HEAR MIYO'S SEXY VOICE CALLING "SABU-CHAN"...

AND THEN I CAN'T GET OUT OF BED!
IT MAKES ME PITCH A TENT...
...IT GETS ME ALL EXCITED!
BAM
W-WHAT THE HECK IS GOING ON?!
PER-VERT!
WACKO!
FREAK!
IT...IT WORKED!
HEE HEE HEE
HA HA HA


HA HA HA
HEY, MIYO!
HMPH!
I LOVE YOU!


PITTH
ANYWAY... I WONDER WHAT OTHER WEIRD STUFF I CAN DO...
GRIP
MIYO CAN HEAR MY TELEPATHY!
IT LOOKS LIKE SHE JUST THINKS I'M SPEAKING OUT LOUD.
BUT...
SO... DOES THAT MEAN MIYO IS PSIONIC TOO?

...
THIS IS A FULL-LOOP SWING!
HYUN
HYUN
KAZETA. YOU'RE UP.
OKAY THEN.
PAT PAT
QUIT DOZING OFF... DO THE FULL-LOOP SWING!
IDIOT!
HUH? WHAT?
HEY, KAZETA!
GRIP
WHOA!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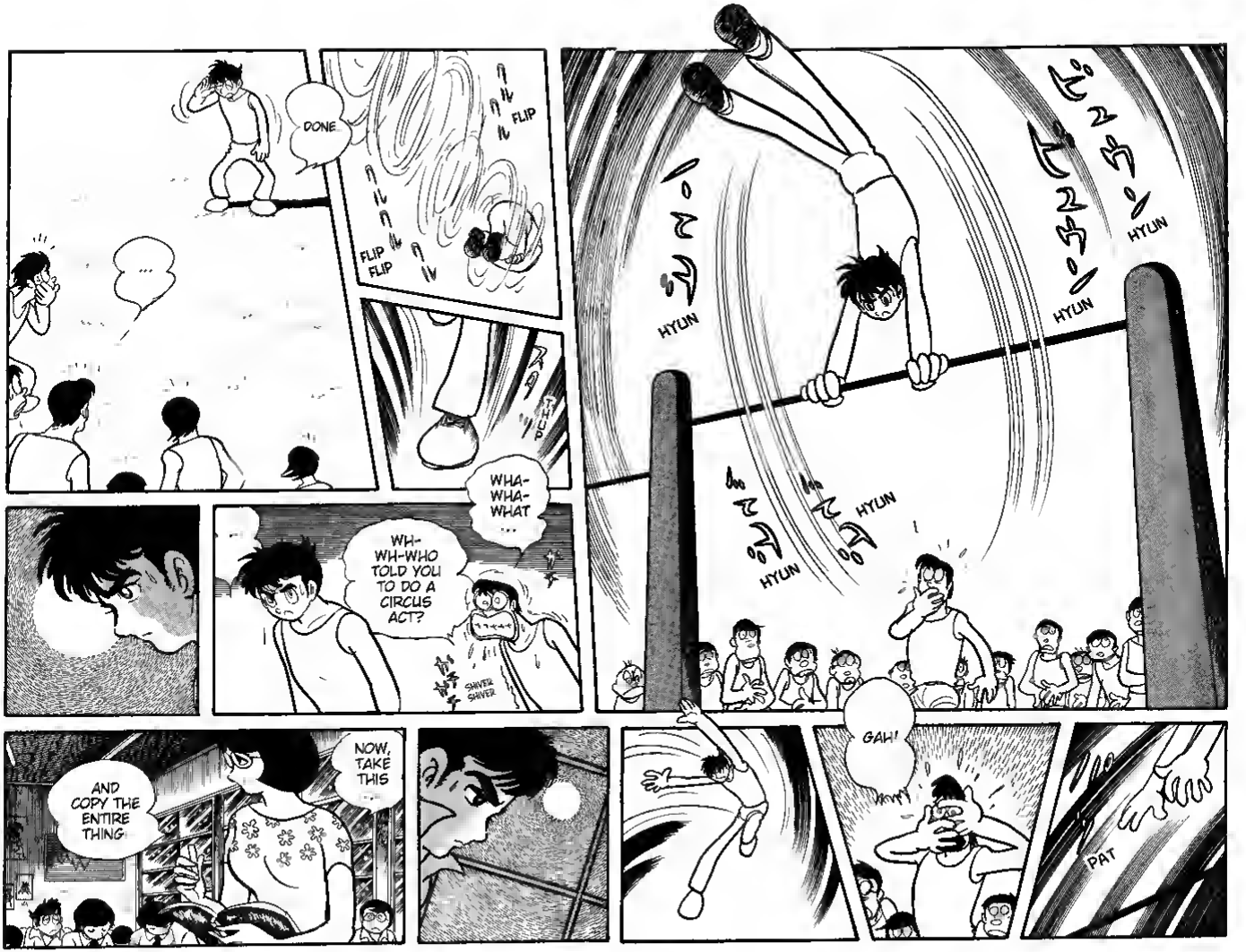
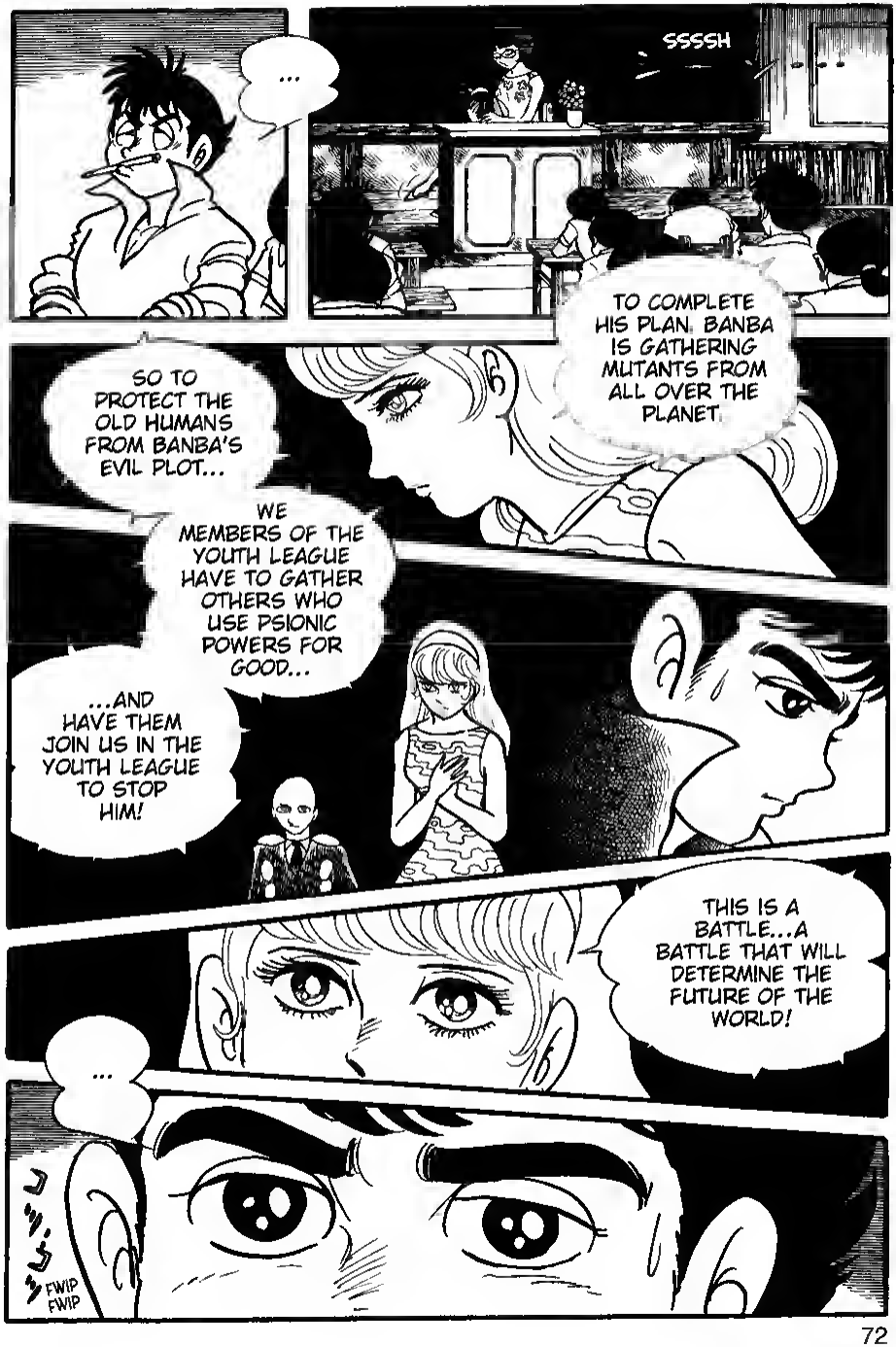
WHAT'S THE PROB-LEM?
UMPH !
SHUN


DONE
FLIP
FLIP
FLIP
PLOP
HYUN
HYUN
HYUN
HYUN
HYUN
HYUN
WHA-WHA-WHAT...
WH-WH-WHO TOLD YOU TO DO A CIRCUS ACT?
SHIVER SHIVER
NOW, TAKE THIS...
AND COPY THE ENTIRE THING
GAH!
PAT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SSSSH
TO COMPLETE HIS PLAN, BANBA IS GATHERING MUTANTS FROM ALL OVER THE PLANET.
SO TO PROTECT THE OLD HUMANS FROM BANBA'S EVIL PLOT...
WE MEMBERS OF THE YOUTH LEAGUE HAVE TO GATHER OTHERS WHO USE PSIONIC POWERS FOR GOOD...
...AND HAVE THEM JOIN US IN THE YOUTH LEAGUE TO STOP HIM!
THIS IS A BATTLE...A BATTLE THAT WILL DETERMINE THE FUTURE OF THE WORLD!
...
FWIP FWIP

FWIP
FWIP
FWIP
FWIP
FWIP
HUH ?!
SWUP
FWIP

IT USES PSIONIC POWER TO MOVE PHYSICAL OBJECTS.
MOVING THE BAG OF FIREWORKS WAS DONE BY USING TELEKINESIS.
THEN... KOMAKI SENSEI... SHE'S...?!
TELE-KINESIS?
AND THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE LIKE YOU WHO HAVEN'T REALIZED THEIR POWERS.
PSIONICS HIDE THEIR POWERS.
THEY'RE EVERY-WHERE.
THEY'RE PROBABLY ALL AROUND YOU.
LET'S HOPE NONE OF THEM ARE BANBA'S ALLIES.
WHICH IS SHE— FRIEND OR FOE?
S-SO IF KOMAKI SENSEI IS ONE OF THOSE PSIONIC GUYS...

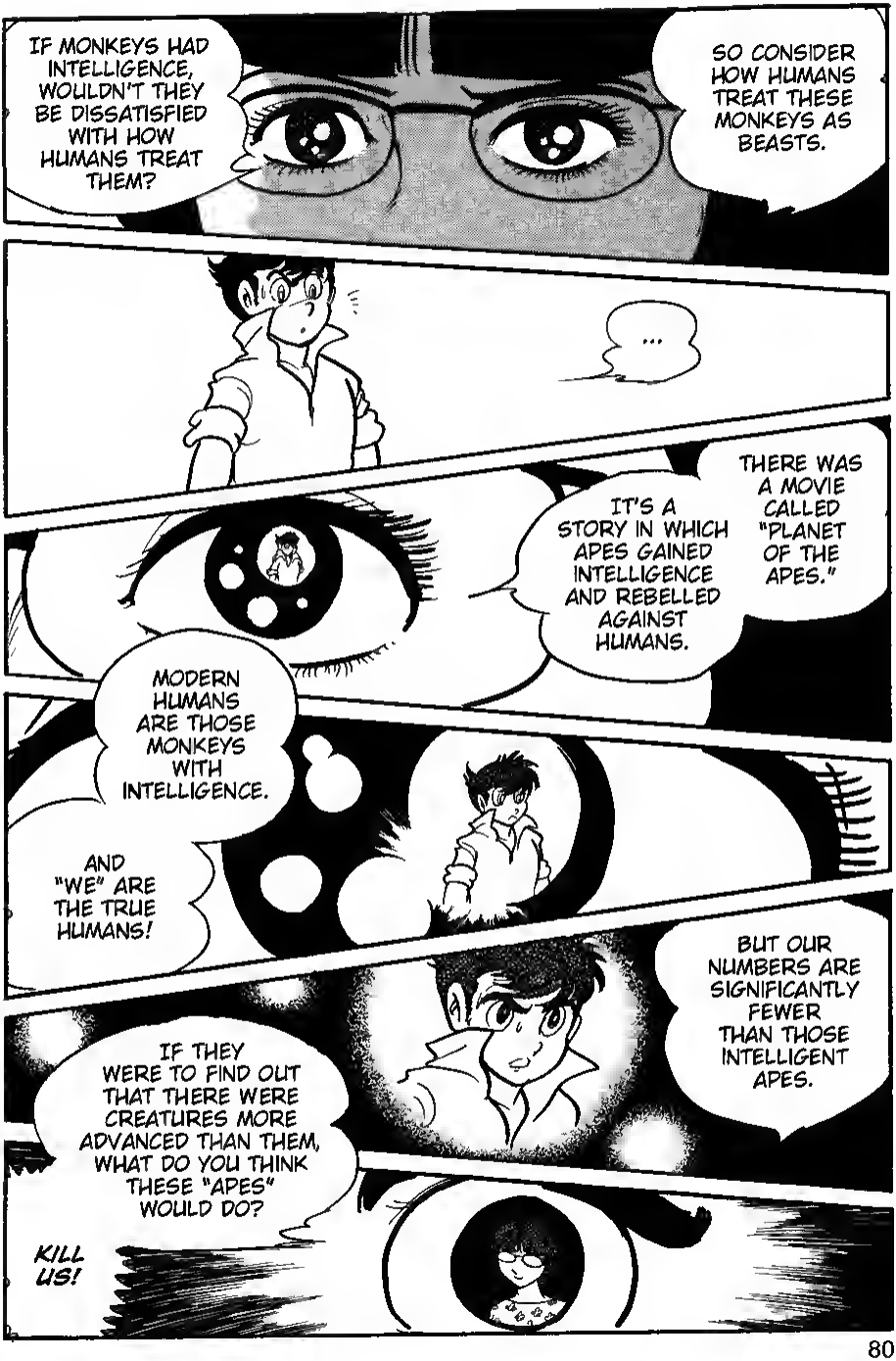
BYE!
BYE BYE!
LATER!
GOT A MOMENT, KAZETA?
HMPH!
UOLT
KO... KOMAKI SENSEI?

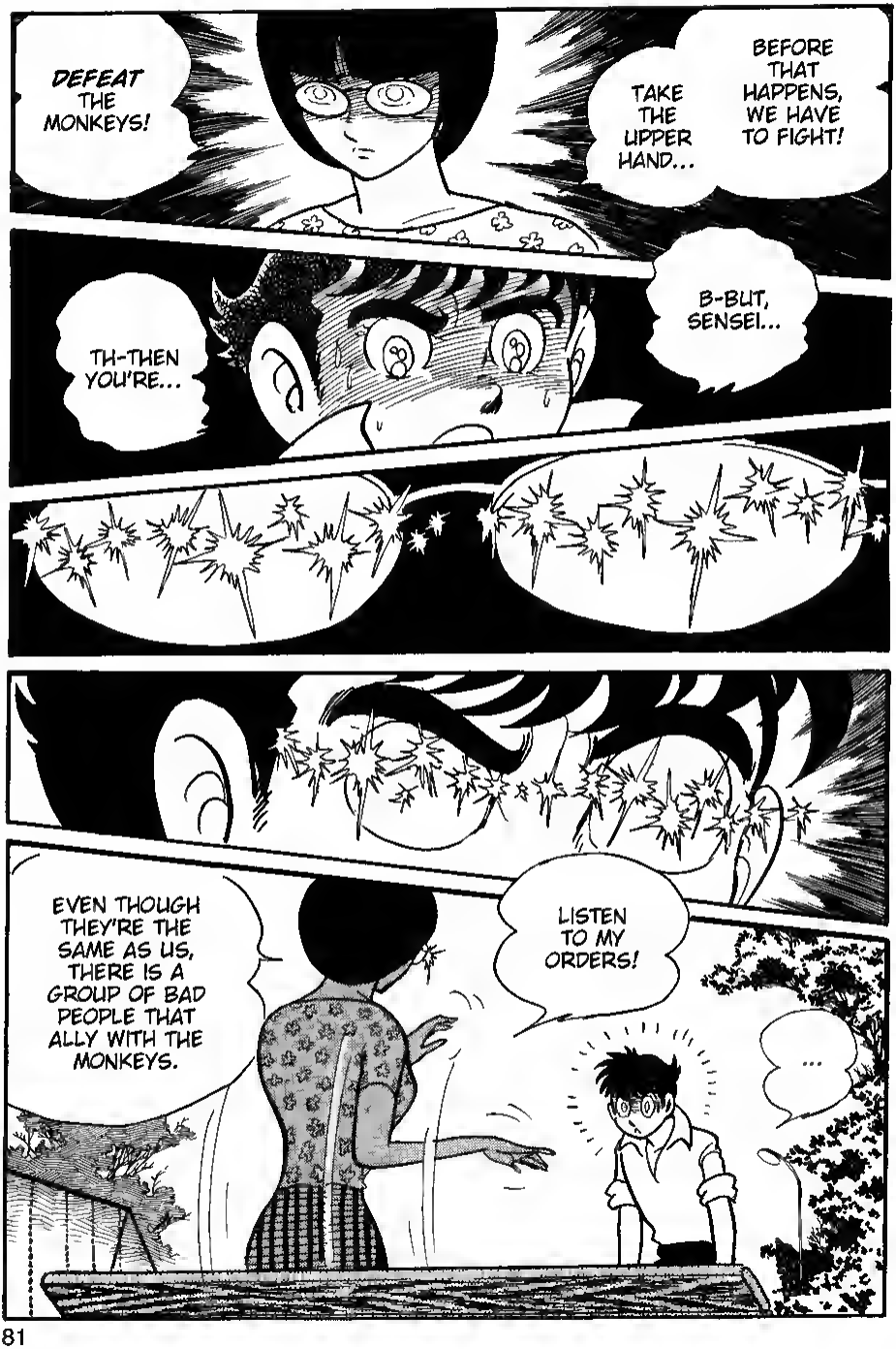
I'D LIKE TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT SOMETHING.

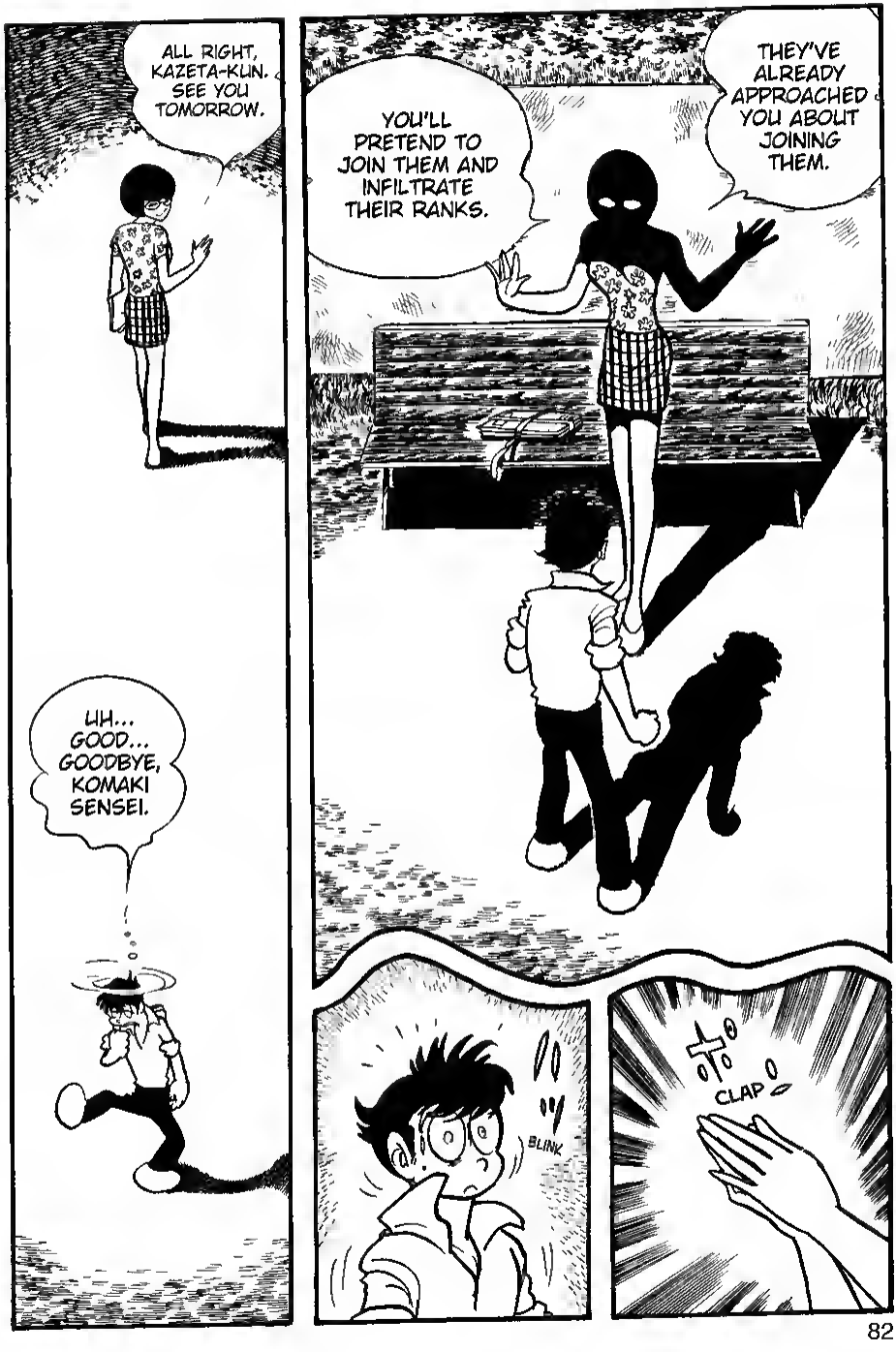
...ABOUT YOU-KNOW-WHAT.
YES...
K-KOMAKI SENSEI?
HAVE A SEAT.
I-I'M FINE.
UH... NO...
I KNOW YOU SAW THE PEN. I DID IT ON PURPOSE FOR YOU TO SEE IT.
KAZETA-KUN...
...

EH?!
YOU'RE PROBABLY OF THE SAME SPECIES AS "US." I FIGURED IT OUT A WHILE AGO.
SO YOU TOO ARE...?!
SE... SENSEI !
I CONFIRMED IT AFTER EXAMINING YOUR GRADES AND PHYSICAL PERFORMANCE.
AH?!
ONE OF YOUR COMRADES.
OF COURSE.

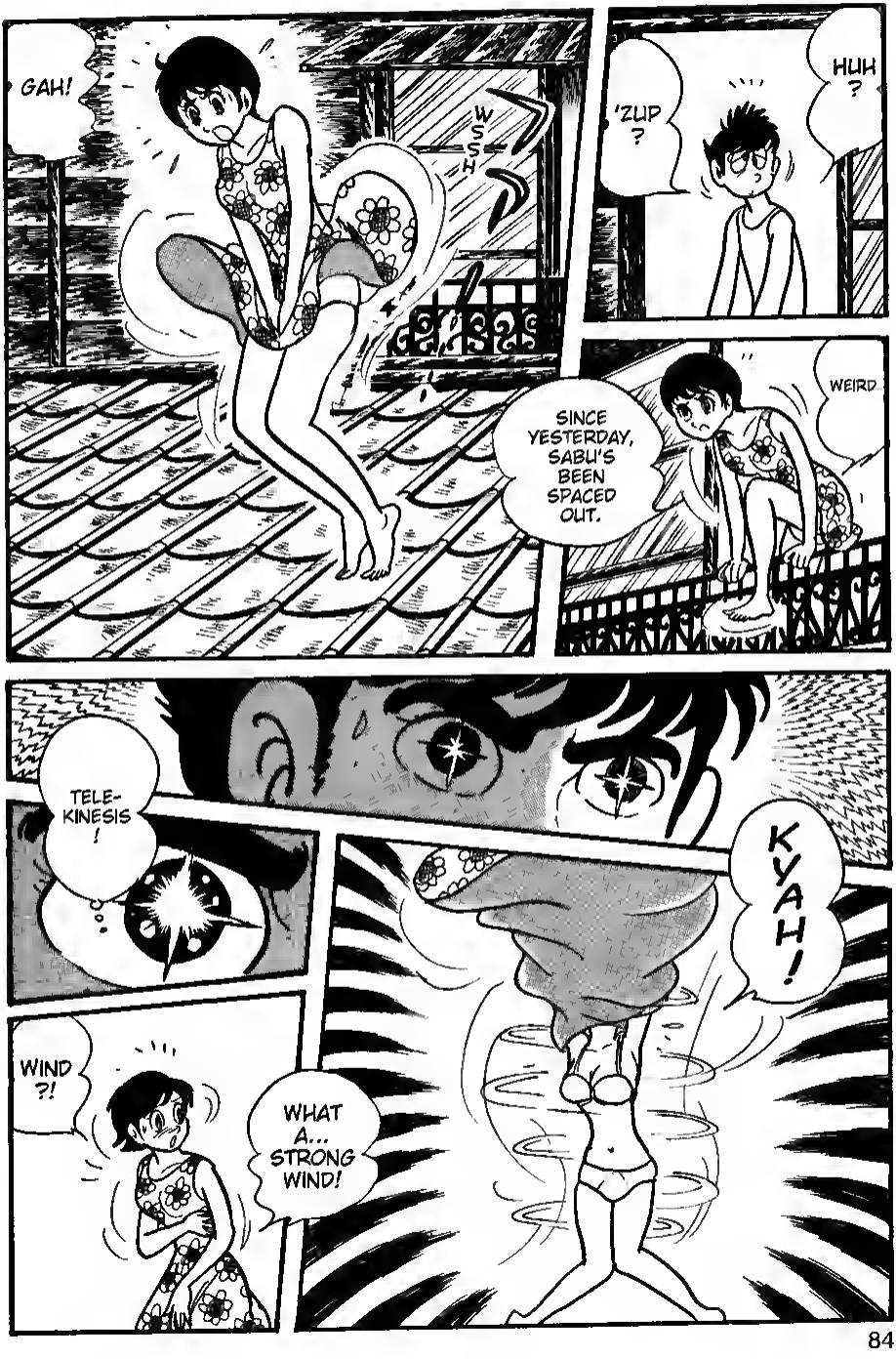
PSIONIC POWER... USED BY NEO-HUMAN MUTANTS.
...
THAT'S... TELE-KINESIS!
KAZETA-KUN!
WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MONKEYS?
MON-KEYS?
W-WHAT DO I THINK ...?
MONKEYS ARE ANIMALS... BEASTS.
MONKEYS RESEMBLE HUMANS, BUT THEY'RE NOT HUMANS.


IF MONKEYS HAD INTELLIGENCE, WOULDN'T THEY BE DISSATISFIED WITH HOW HUMANS TREAT THEM?
SO CONSIDER HOW HUMANS TREAT THESE MONKEYS AS BEASTS.
...
THERE WAS A MOVIE CALLED "PLANET OF THE APES."
IT'S A STORY IN WHICH APES GAINED INTELLIGENCE AND REBELLED AGAINST HUMANS.
MODERN HUMANS ARE THOSE MONKEYS WITH INTELLIGENCE.
AND "WE" ARE THE TRUE HUMANS!
BUT OUR NUMBERS ARE SIGNIFICANTLY FEWER THAN THOSE INTELLIGENT APES.
IF THEY WERE TO FIND OUT THAT THERE WERE CREATURES MORE ADVANCED THAN THEM, WHAT DO YOU THINK THESE "APES" WOULD DO?
KILL US!


DEFEAT THE MONKEYS!
TAKE THE UPPER HAND...
BEFORE THAT HAPPENS, WE HAVE TO FIGHT!
B-BUT, SENSEI...
TH-THEN YOU'RE...
EVEN THOUGH THEY'RE THE SAME AS US, THERE IS A GROUP OF BAD PEOPLE THAT ALLY WITH THE MONKEYS.
LISTEN TO MY ORDERS!
...


ALL RIGHT, KAZETA-KUN. SEE YOU TOMORROW.
UH... GOOD... GOODBYE, KOMAKI SENSEI.
THEY'VE ALREADY APPROACHED YOU ABOUT JOINING THEM.
YOU'LL PRETEND TO JOIN THEM AND INFILTRATE THEIR RANKS.
BLINK
CLAP

風田鮮魚店
TEL 2342
SIGN: KAZETA FISH MARKET
DIM-WIT!
KNOCK KNOCK
I JUST CAN'T REMEM-BER!
COMING HOME I MET KOMACHI SENSEI.
BUT ...
WHAT DID WE TALK ABOUT?
HEY, SABU-CHAN!
SABU-CHAN?
HM.


GAH!
W
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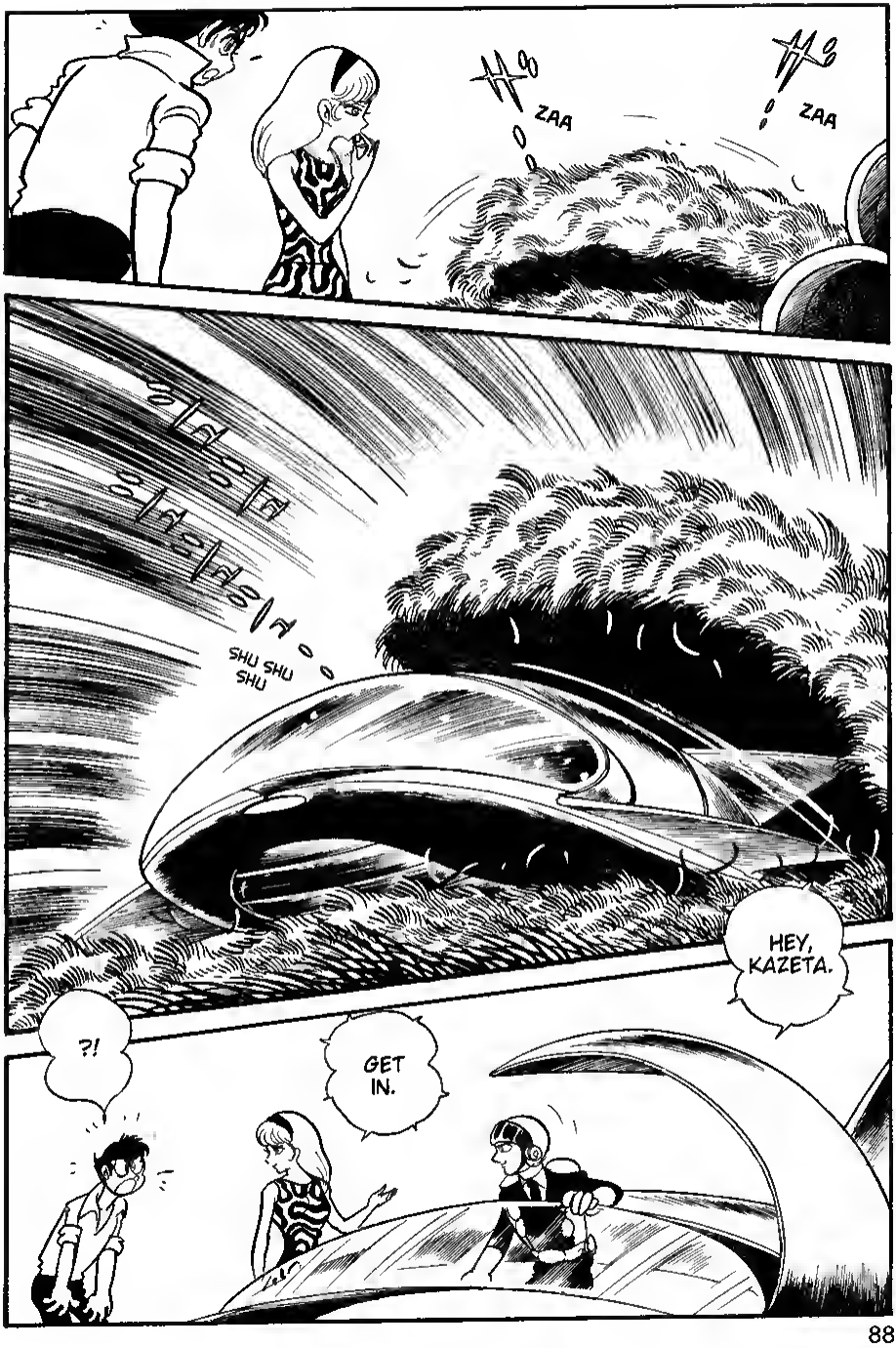
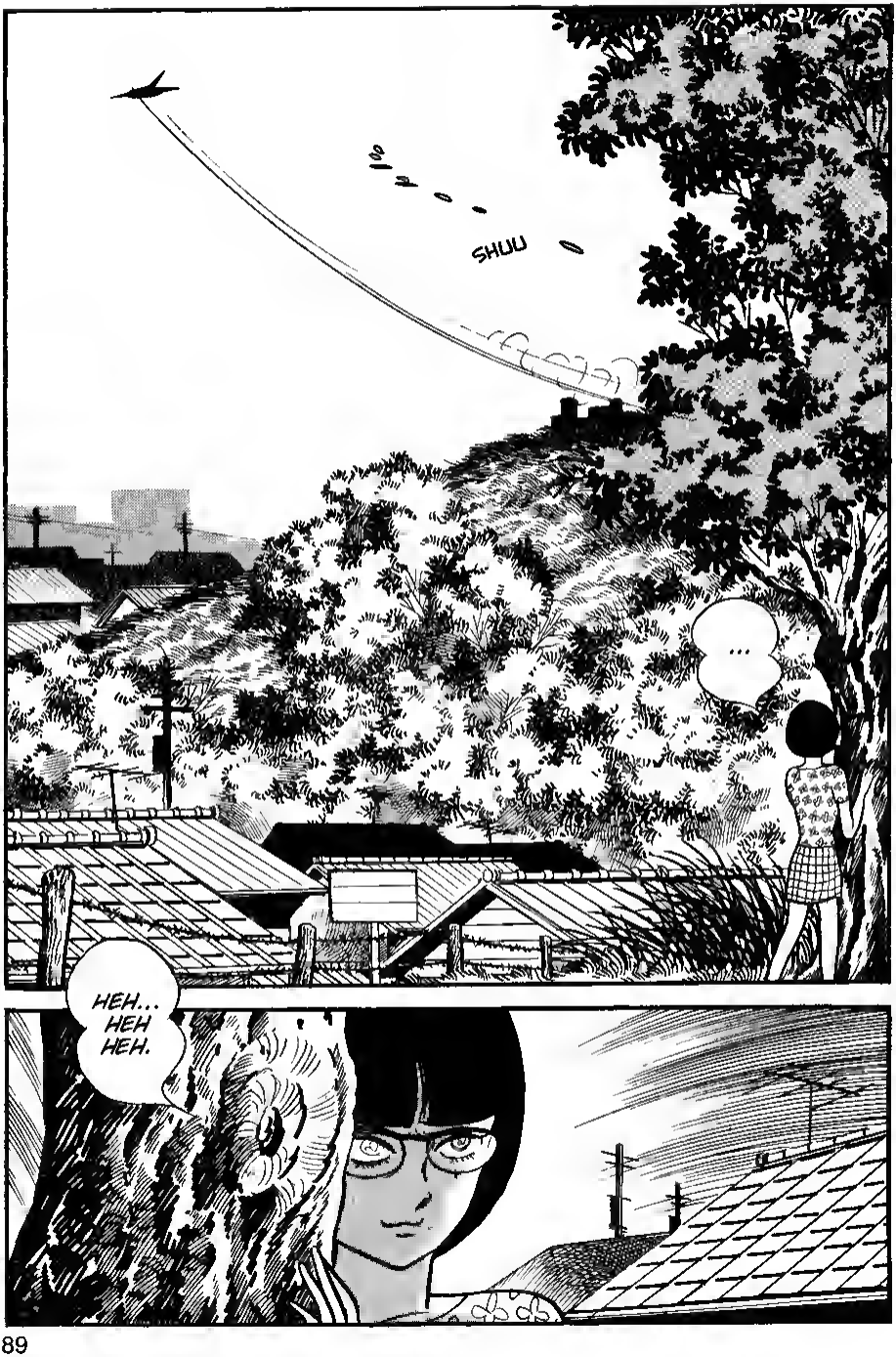
S
H
HUH ?
'ZUP ?
SINCE YESTERDAY, SABU'S BEEN SPACED OUT.
WEIRD
TELE-KINESIS !
KYAH!
WIND ?!
WHAT A... STRONG WIND!

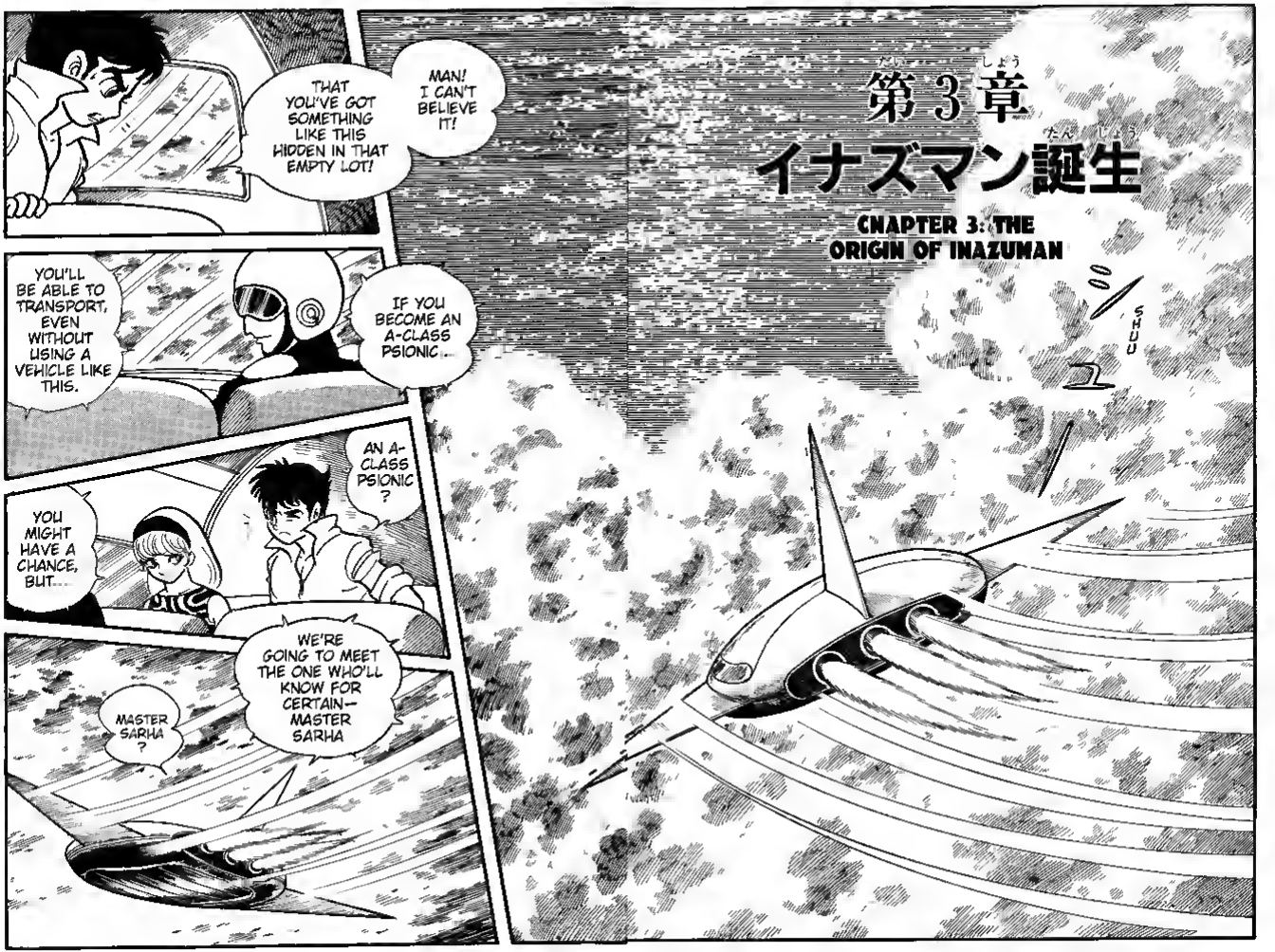
SLAP
...
HOW STRANGE... THE WIND ISN'T BLOWING... AT ALL!
ME TOO...
I CAN USE TELE-KINESIS.
THEY'RE SO PERVERTED!
DON'T LOOK AT ME WITH THOSE HORNY EYES!
HORNY EYES LOOK LIKE THIS!
WHO SAYS THESE ARE HORNY EYES?
GRAB
I'M WAITING FOR YOU OUTSIDE. COME OUT SOON.
SABURO!

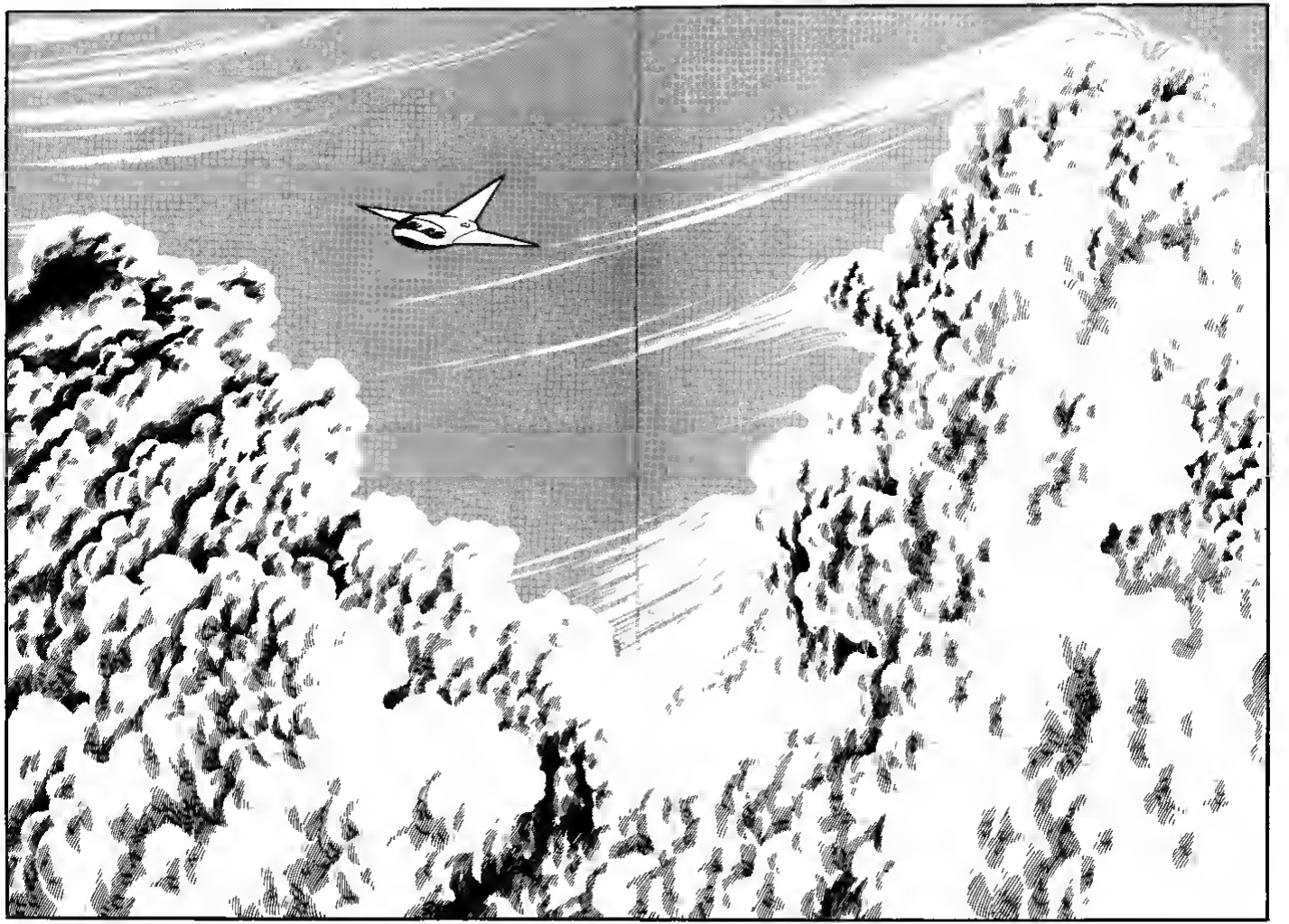
LEONA!
TMP TMP TMP
...
SABURO, YOU JERK!
HORNY!
HORNY PER-VERT!

GRR
YOU TOO...YOU'RE A LITTLE STRANGE TOO, HACHIRO!
THE SUMMER HEAT IS MAKING EVERYBODY CRAZY.
SLAM
TO THE YOUTH LEAGUE'S BASE.
EH ?!
WHERE ARE WE GOING, LEONA?
TWEET

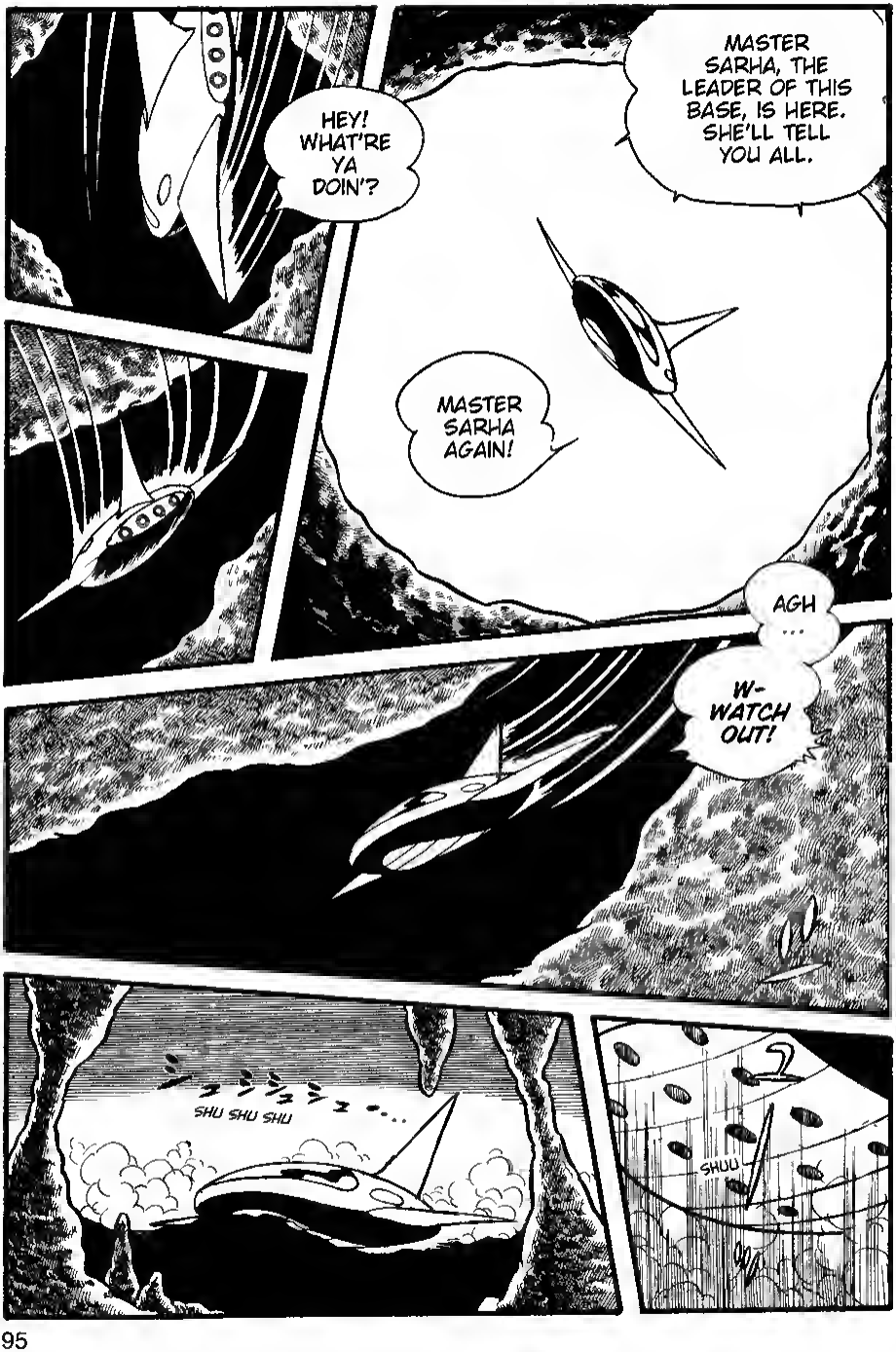

ZAA
ZAA
SHU SHU SHU
HEY, KAZETA.
?!
GET IN.


SHUU
...
HEH... HEH HEH.

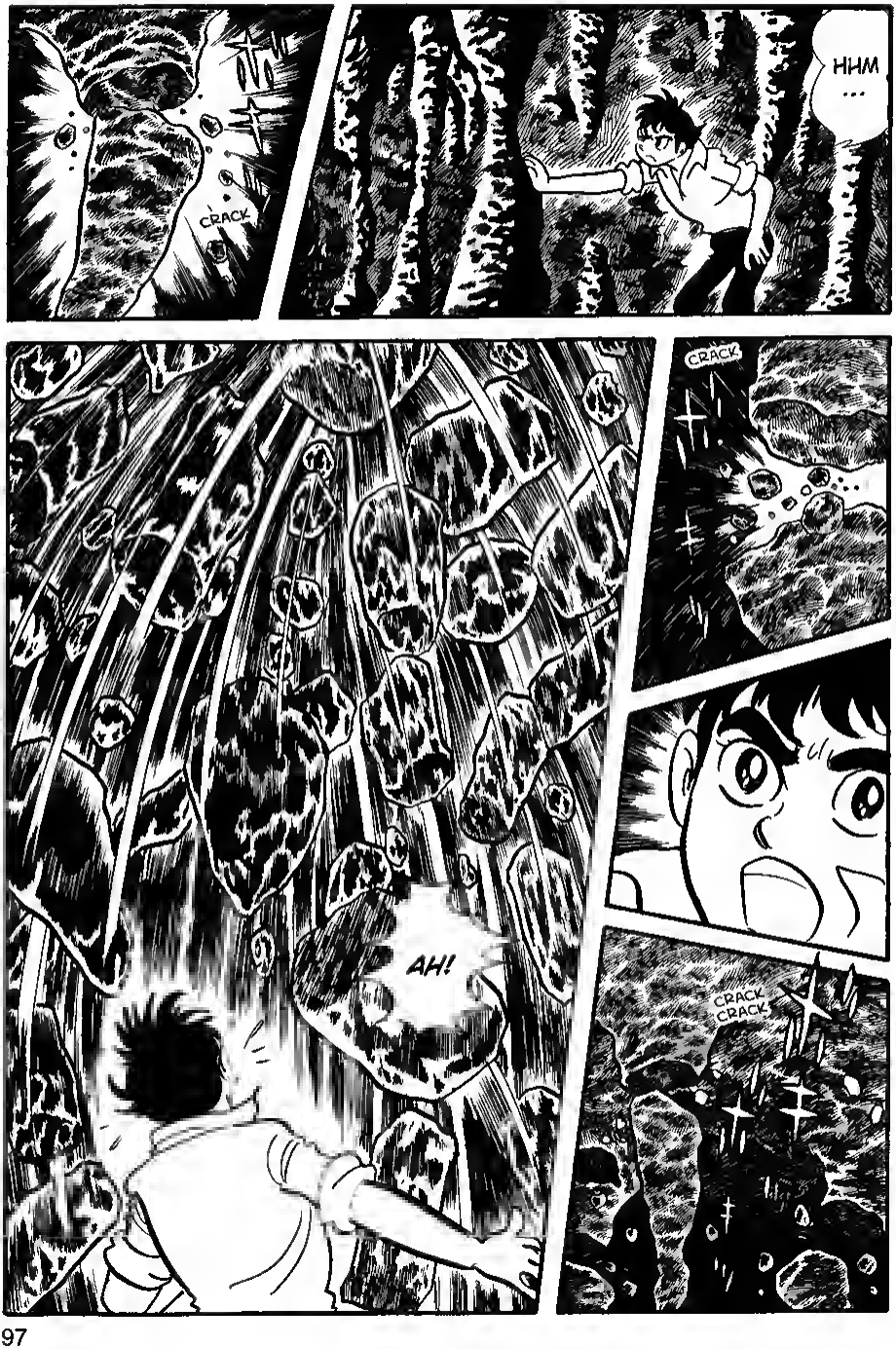

第3章
イナズマン誕生
CHAPTER 3: THE ORIGIN OF INAZUMAN
SHUU
MAN! I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!
THAT YOU'VE GOT SOMETHING LIKE THIS HIDDEN IN THAT EMPTY LOT!
IF YOU BECOME AN A-CLASS PSIONIC...
YOU'LL BE ABLE TO TRANSPORT, EVEN WITHOUT USING A VEHICLE LIKE THIS.
AN A-CLASS PSIONIC ?
YOU MIGHT HAVE A CHANCE, BUT...
WE'RE GOING TO MEET THE ONE WHO'LL KNOW FOR CERTAIN— MASTER SARHA
MASTER SARHA ?



SHUUU
THERE! THAT'S ONE OF THE YOUTH LEAGUE'S SECRET BASES.
ONE OF? YOU MEAN THERE'S MORE?
YES. ALL OVER THE WORLD.
THE YOUTH LEAGUE IS A WORLDWIDE ORGANIZATION.
YOUTH LEAGUE?
WHAT IS THIS "YOUTH LEAGUE"?

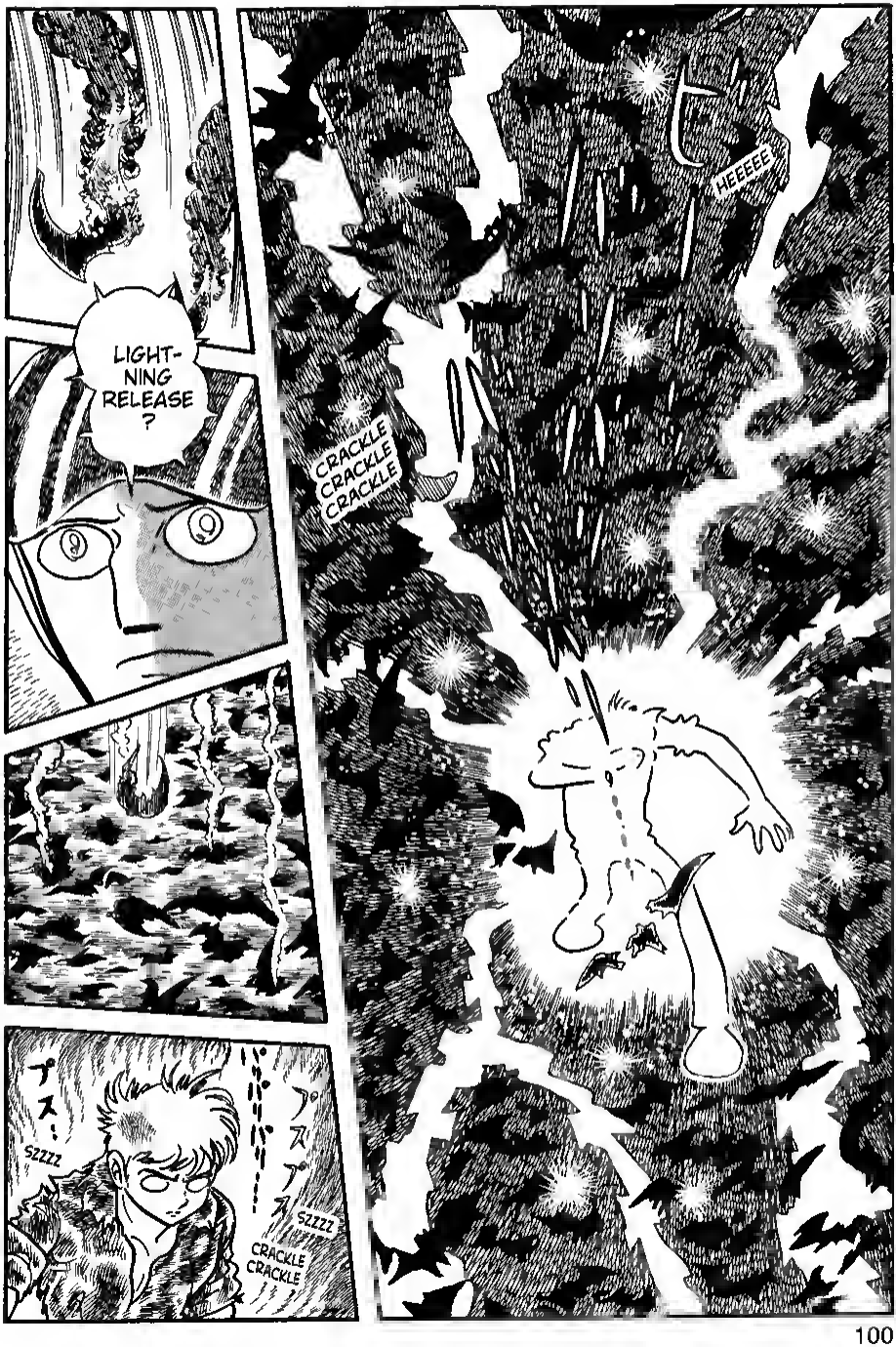

HEY! WHAT'RE YA DOIN'?
MASTER SARHA, THE LEADER OF THIS BASE, IS HERE. SHE'LL TELL YOU ALL.
MASTER SARHA AGAIN!
AGH ...
W-WATCH OUT!
SHU SHU SHU
SHUU

YOU CALL THIS A BASE?
WITH A HIGH-TECH VEHICLE LIKE THIS, I THOUGHT THE PLACE WAS GONNA BE REALLY COOL.
BUT IT'S JUST A DIRTY OLD CAVE!
YOU EXPECTED A BUNCH OF KIDS LIKE US TO BUILD A BASE?
BESIDES... IN A BATTLE OF MENTAL POWERS, WE DON'T NEED A LOT OF MACHINES.


CRACK
HHM
...
AH!
CRACK
CRACK
CRACK

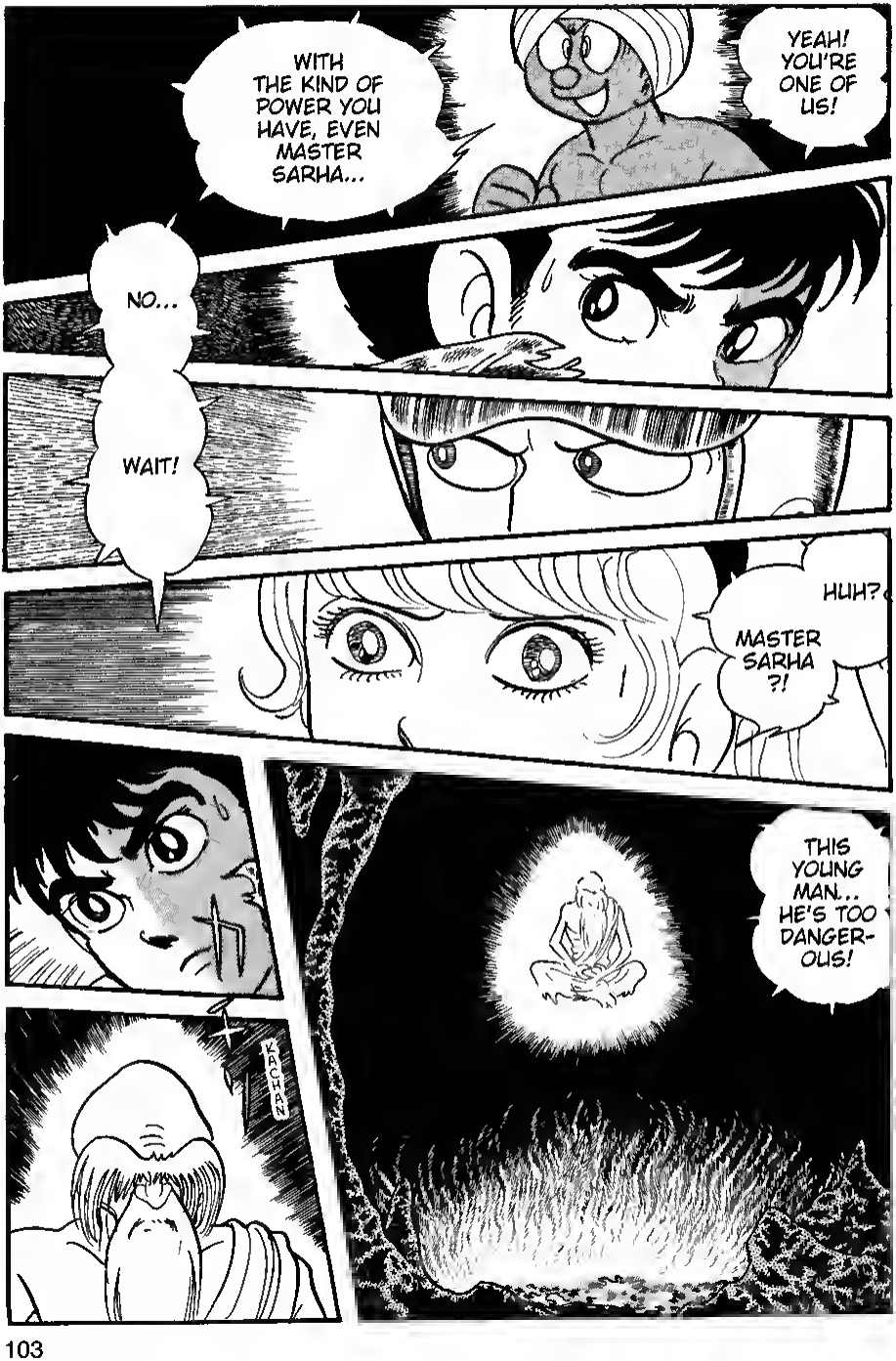
SABU-RO?!
DO
DO
DO
DO
IT'S NOT JUST DIRTY ...
THIS RUNDOWN OLD HOLE IS DANGEROUS.

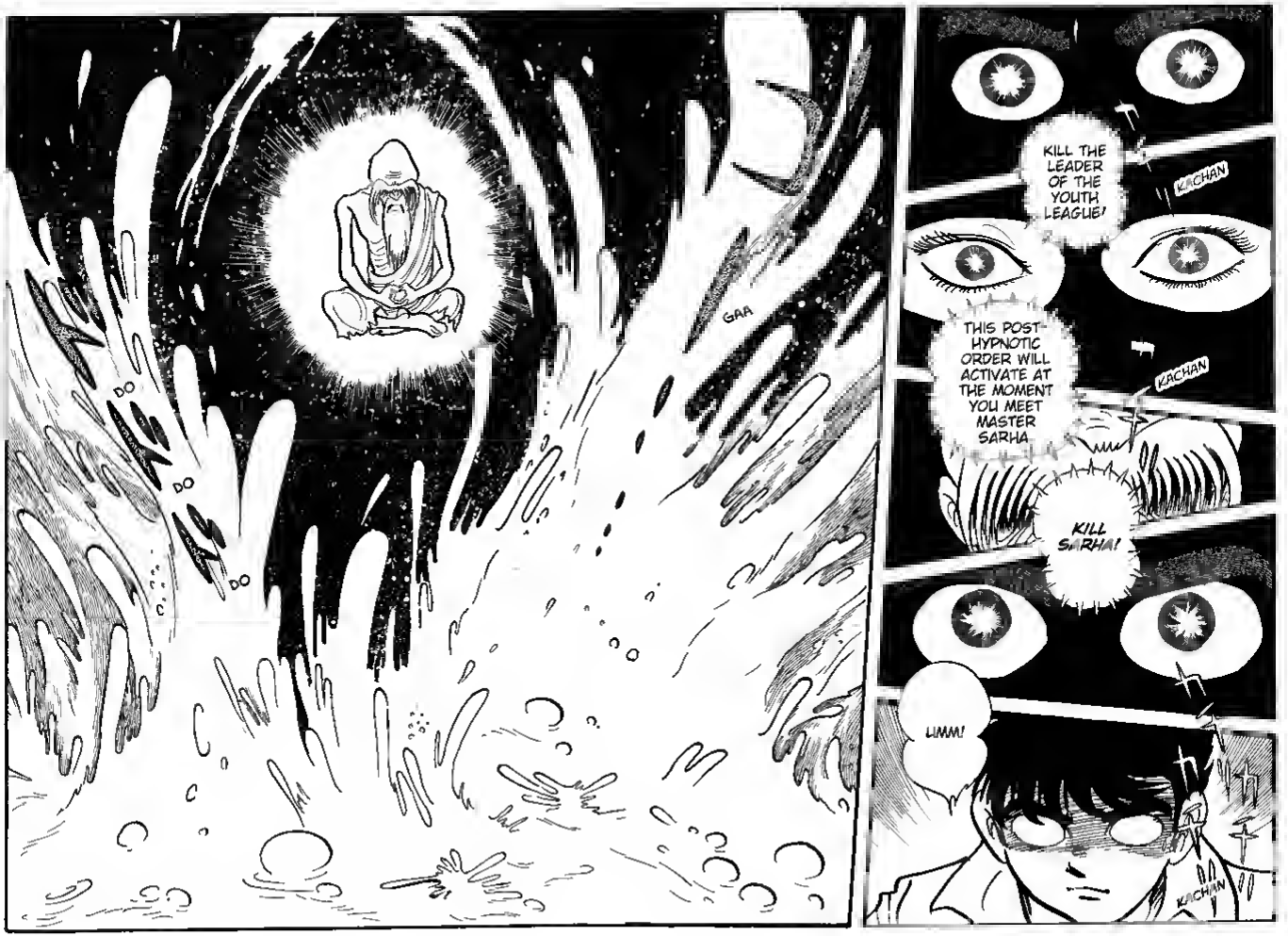
TELEPOR-TATION!
EH...
OH MY!
BUT...THE QUESTION IS... HOW FAR CAN HE GO?
WHAT'D YOU JUST SAY? WAS THIS A TEST?
I ALMOST GOT BURIED ALIVE!
NO...IT WASN'T US!
FLAP
LOOK OUT, SA-BURO!
VAMPIRE BATS!
ZAAA


LIGHT-NING RELEASE ?
CRACKLE CRACKLE CRACKLE
HEEEEE
パパパパ…!
SZZZZ
CRACKLE CRACKLE
プス…
SZZZZ

DASH
YOU... THIS IS YOUR DOING!
POW
WHAM
ON TOP OF THAT, YOU MESSED UP MY BEST CLOTHES!
NOW WHAT AM I SUPPOSED TO TELL MY DAD? HE'LL KILL ME!
I... I'M KIM!

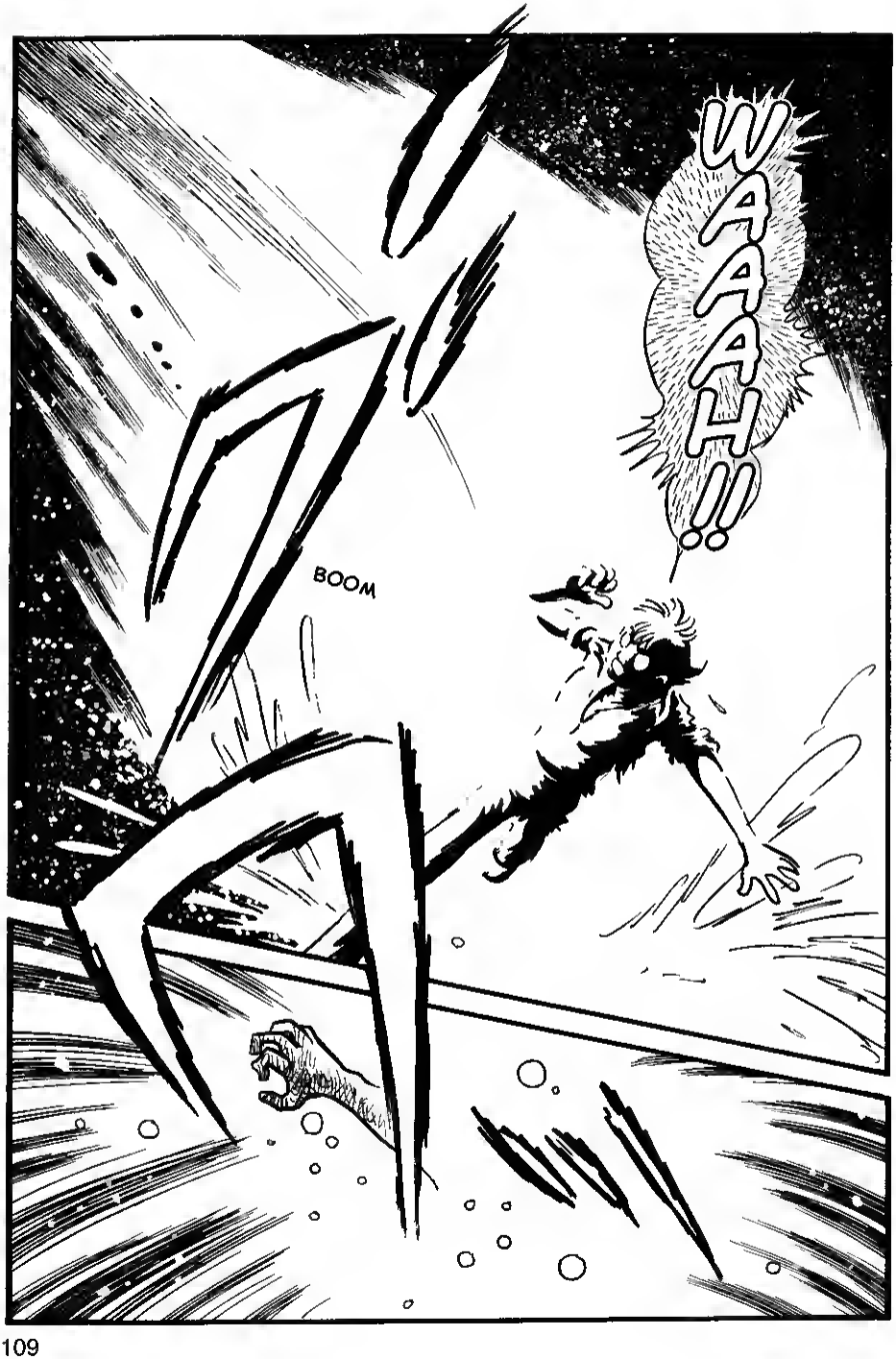
KIM IS ONE OF OUR FRIENDS!
Y-YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT, SABURO!
IF YOU COULDN'T HANDLE A FEW CHALLENGES, THEN...
I... I JUST WANTED TO TEST YOU A LITTLE.
...
KIM IS THE PERSONAL ASSISTANT TO MASTER SARHA.
IF HE WERE AN ENEMY... IT'D BE ALL OVER FOR ME!
WHEW... MAN...
YOU FOUND A TOUGH ONE!
I'M KIM...I'VE GOT THE POWER TO CONTROL ANIMALS.
NICE TO MEET YOU.
HEH HEH HEH... SORRY.
WELCOME TO THE YOUTH LEAGUE.
I'M LEONA. I'M A SHAPE-SHIFTER.
I'M IRAIZA. I USE FIRE AS A WEAPON.
WE SHOULD INTRO-DUCE OUR-SELVES TOO.
WHAT, ME TOO?

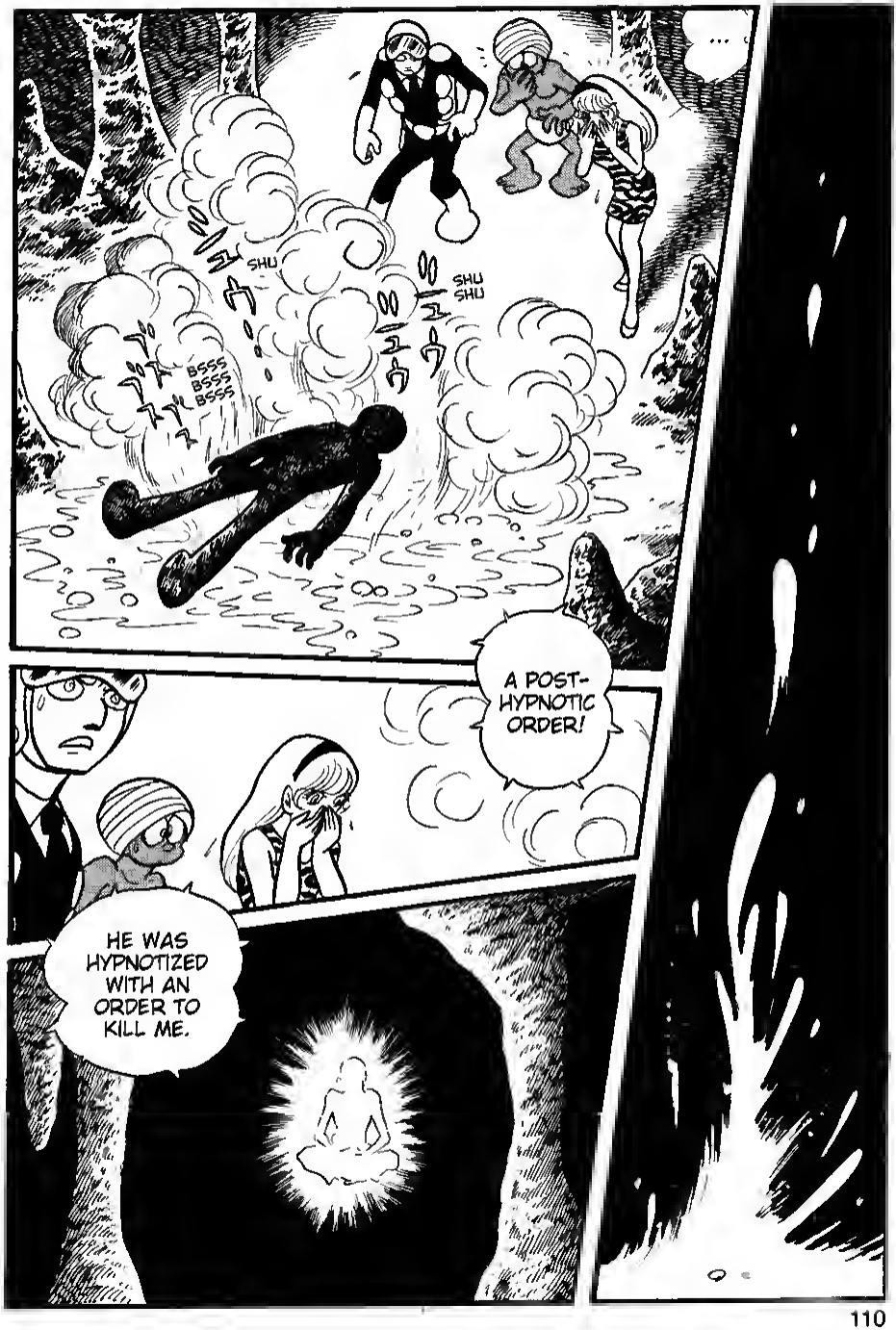

WITH THE KIND OF POWER YOU HAVE, EVEN MASTER SARHA...
YEAH! YOU'RE ONE OF US!
NO...
WAIT!
HUH?
MASTER SARHA ?!
THIS YOUNG MAN... HE'S TOO DANGER-OUS!
KACHAN


DO
DO
DO
GAA
KILL THE LEADER OF THE YOUTH LEAGUE!
KACHAN
KACHAN
THIS POST-HYPNOTIC ORDER WILL ACTIVATE AT THE MOMENT YOU MEET MASTER SARHA
KILL SARHA!
UMM!
KACHAN

SABURO... WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
BWA HA HA HA
HUH? MASTER SARHA?!

HEH HEH HEH
HO HO HO HO
HM?
BWAA


WAAAH!!
BOOM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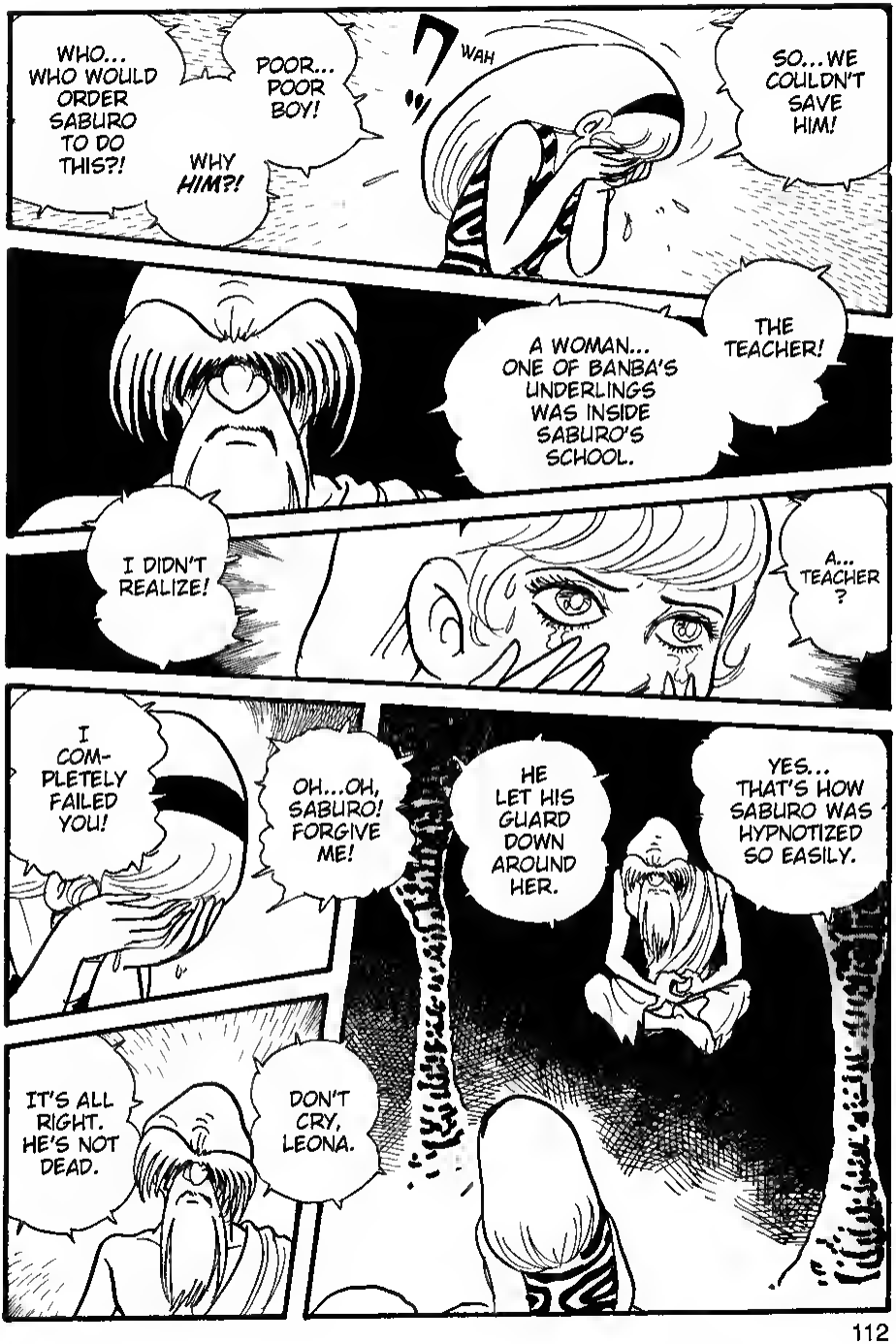
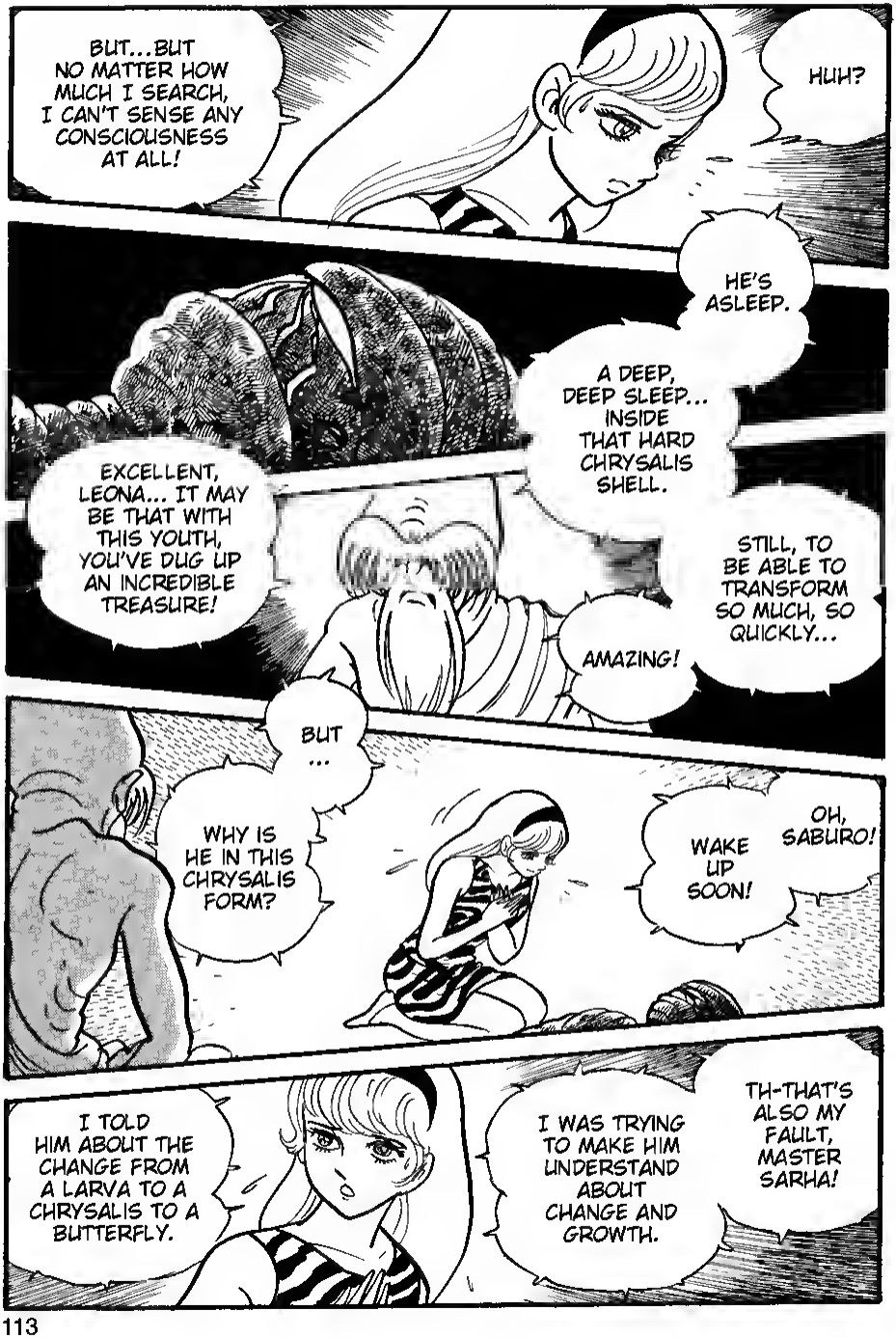
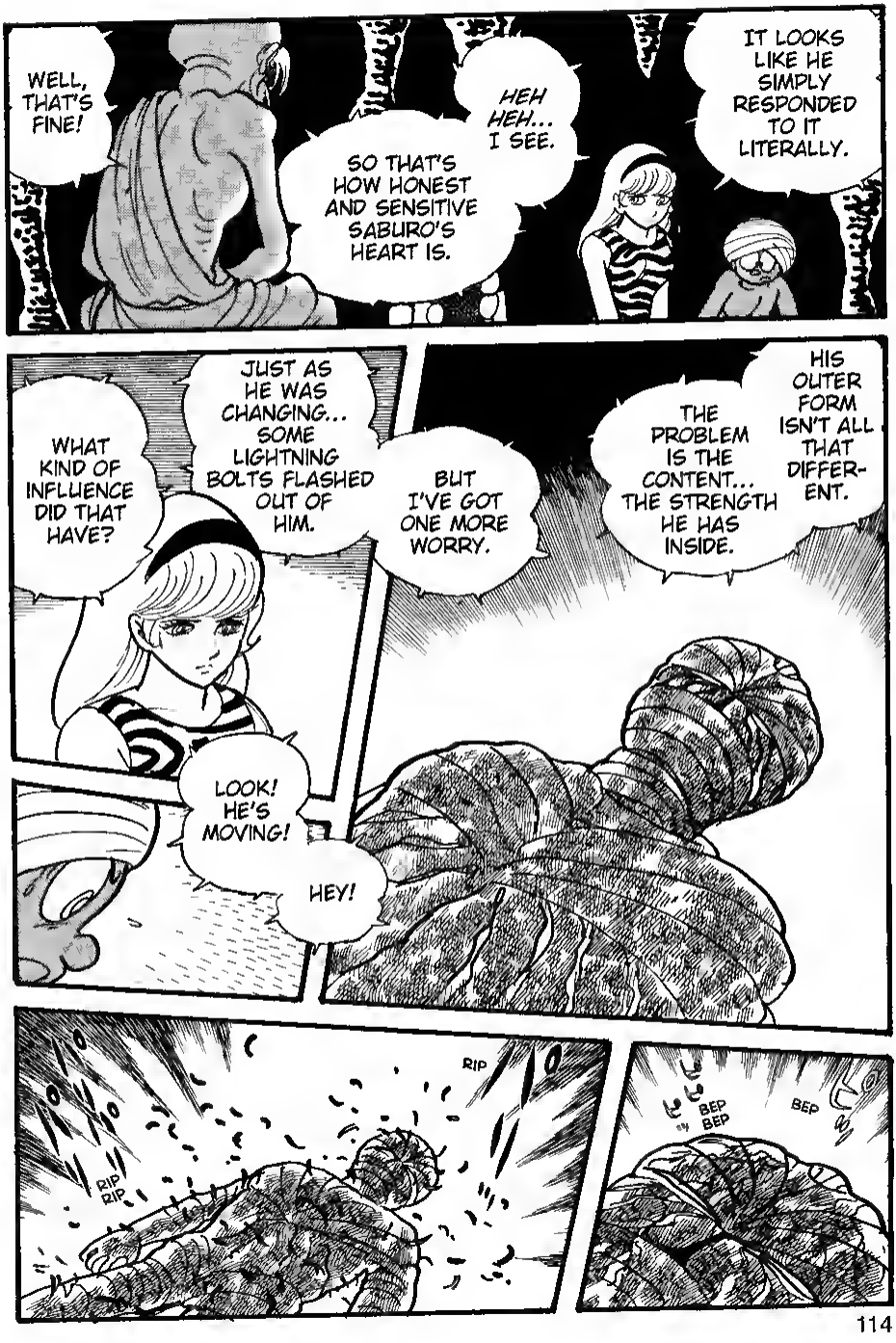
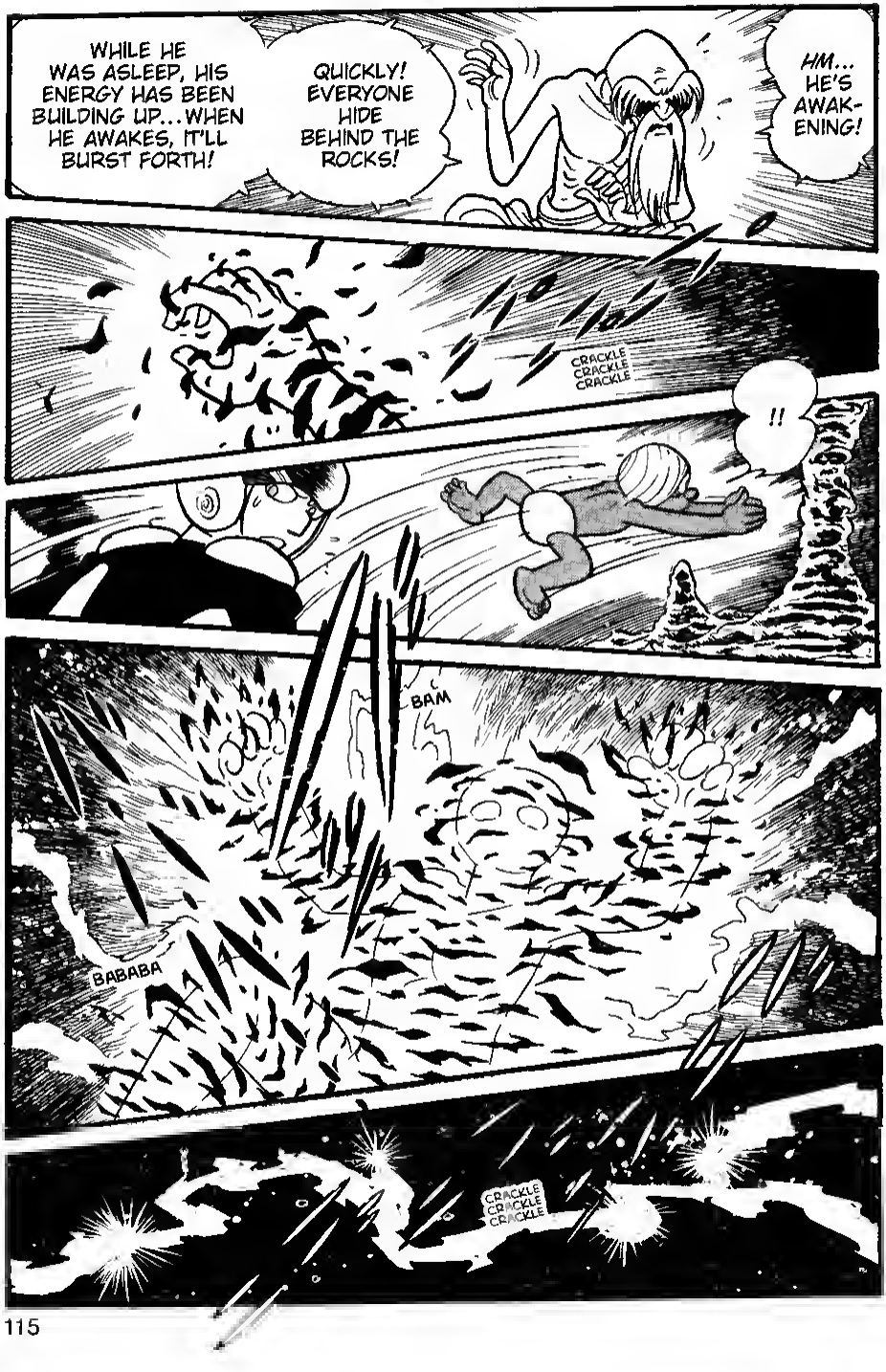
SHU
SHU SHU
BSSS BSSS BSSS
A POST-HYPNOTIC ORDER!
HE WAS HYPNOTIZED WITH AN ORDER TO KILL ME.

I WAS AFRAID SOMETHING HAD HAPPENED TO YOU... THANK GOODNESS.
MASTER SARHA!
HE WAS SIMPLY OPERATING UNDER THAT ORDER.
SA... SA-BURO... IS DEAD?!
HE'S BURNED BLACK...MUST ALREADY BE IN HEAVEN.
HEH... HEH HEH... WOW...
WELL, IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW. THE SPELL HAS BEEN LIFTED.
SHMM
SHMM
SHMM
SHUU SHUU


WHO... WHO WOULD ORDER SABURO TO DO THIS?!
POOR... POOR BOY!
WHY HIM?!
WAH
SO...WE COULDN'T SAVE HIM!
THE TEACHER!
A WOMAN... ONE OF BANBA'S UNDERLINGS WAS INSIDE SABURO'S SCHOOL.
I DIDN'T REALIZE!
A... TEACHER ?
I COM-PLETELY FAILED YOU!
OH...OH, SABURO! FORGIVE ME!
HE LET HIS GUARD DOWN AROUND HER.
YES... THAT'S HOW SABURO WAS HYPNOTIZED SO EASILY.
IT'S ALL RIGHT. HE'S NOT DEAD.
DON'T CRY, LEONA.


BUT...BUT NO MATTER HOW MUCH I SEARCH, I CAN'T SENSE ANY CONSCIOUSNESS AT ALL!
HUH?
HE'S ASLEEP.
A DEEP, DEEP SLEEP... INSIDE THAT HARD CHRYSALIS SHELL.
EXCELLENT, LEONA... IT MAY BE THAT WITH THIS YOUTH, YOU'VE DUG UP AN INCREDIBLE TREASURE!
STILL, TO BE ABLE TO TRANSFORM SO MUCH, SO QUICKLY...
AMAZING!
BUT ...
WHY IS HE IN THIS CHRYSALIS FORM?
WAKE UP SOON!
OH, SABURO!
I TOLD HIM ABOUT THE CHANGE FROM A LARVA TO A CHRYSALIS TO A BUTTERFLY.
I WAS TRYING TO MAKE HIM UNDERSTAND ABOUT CHANGE AND GROWTH.
TH-THAT'S ALSO MY FAULT, MASTER SARHA!

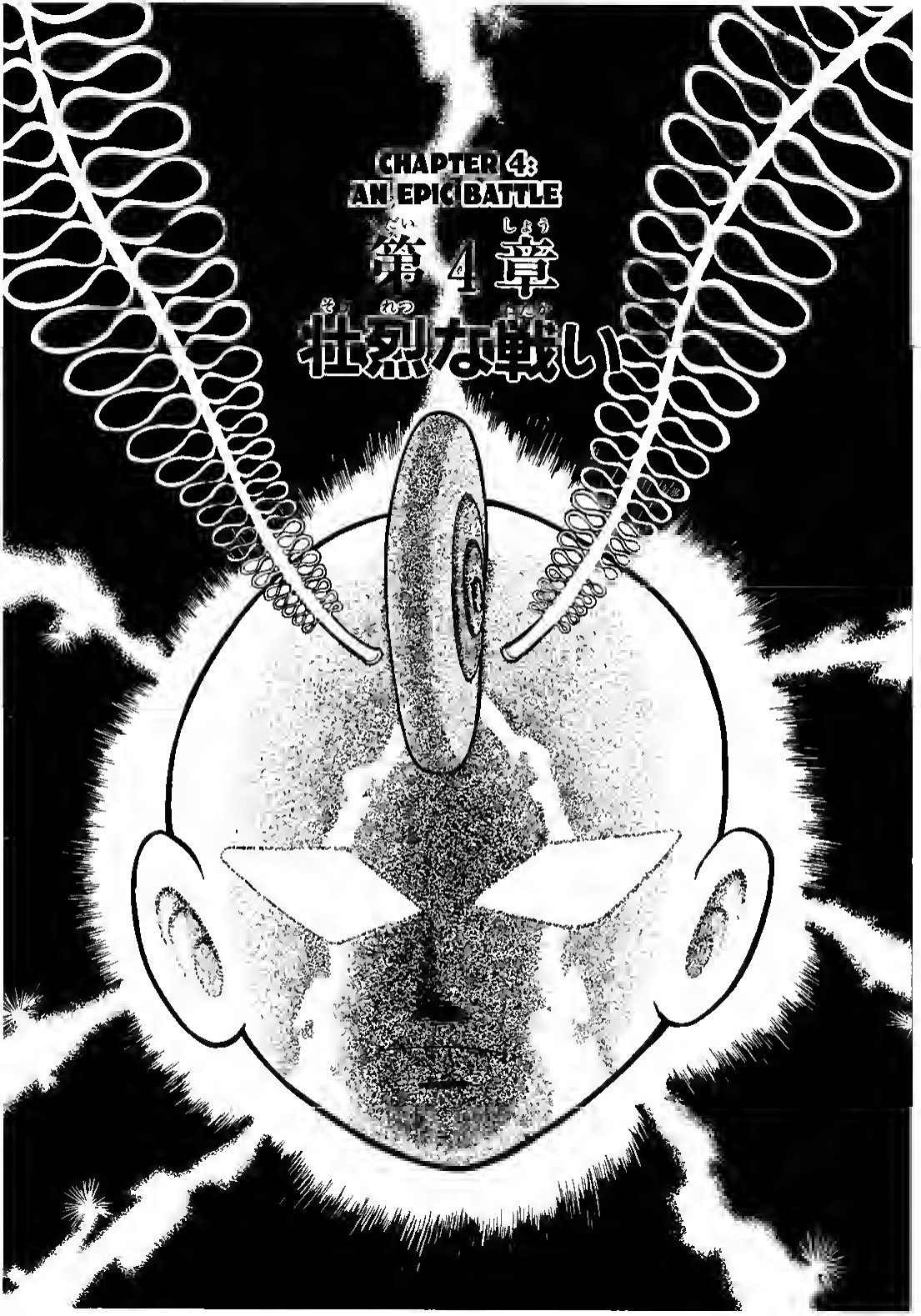

WELL, THAT'S FINE!
SO THAT'S HOW HONEST AND SENSITIVE SABURO'S HEART IS.
HEH HEH... I SEE.
IT LOOKS LIKE HE SIMPLY RESPONDED TO IT LITERALLY.
WHAT KIND OF INFLUENCE DID THAT HAVE?
JUST AS HE WAS CHANGING... SOME LIGHTNING BOLTS FLASHED OUT OF HIM.
BUT I'VE GOT ONE MORE WORRY.
THE PROBLEM IS THE CONTENT... THE STRENGTH HE HAS INSIDE.
HIS OUTER FORM ISN'T ALL THAT DIFFERENT.
LOOK! HE'S MOVING!
HEY!
RIP
RIP RIP
BEP BEP
BEP


WHILE HE WAS ASLEEP, HIS ENERGY HAS BEEN BUILDING UP...WHEN HE AWAKES, IT'LL BURST FORTH!
QUICKLY! EVERYONE HIDE BEHIND THE ROCKS!
HM... HE'S AWAK-ENING!
CRACKLE CRACKLE CRACKLE
!!
BAM
BABABA
CRACKLE CRACKLE CRACKLE

GORO GORO GORO
CRICKLE CRICKLE CRICKLE
INANUMAN!!
BUWABA BUWABA BUWABA

BALL LIGHT-NING!
CRACKLE CRACKLE CRACKLE
WHOA!
INAZU-MAN!
HE CAN RELEASE ENERGY AS POWERFUL AS LIGHTNING!
POP POP POP
SZZT SZZT SZZT
WHAT IS "INAZU-MAN"?
"INAZUMA" IS JAPANESE FOR LIGHTNING. I NAMED HIM INAZUMAN IN HIS SLEEP.
AND NOW, THAT LAD IS FULLY AWAKE!

HE'S FULLY AWAKENED TO HIS TRUE FORM!
AS A MUTANT, HE HAS CHANGED FROM A HUMAN TO A FULL-BLOWN PSIONIC.
HE'S NOT KAZETA SABURO. HE'S INAZUMAN.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AN EPIC BATTLE
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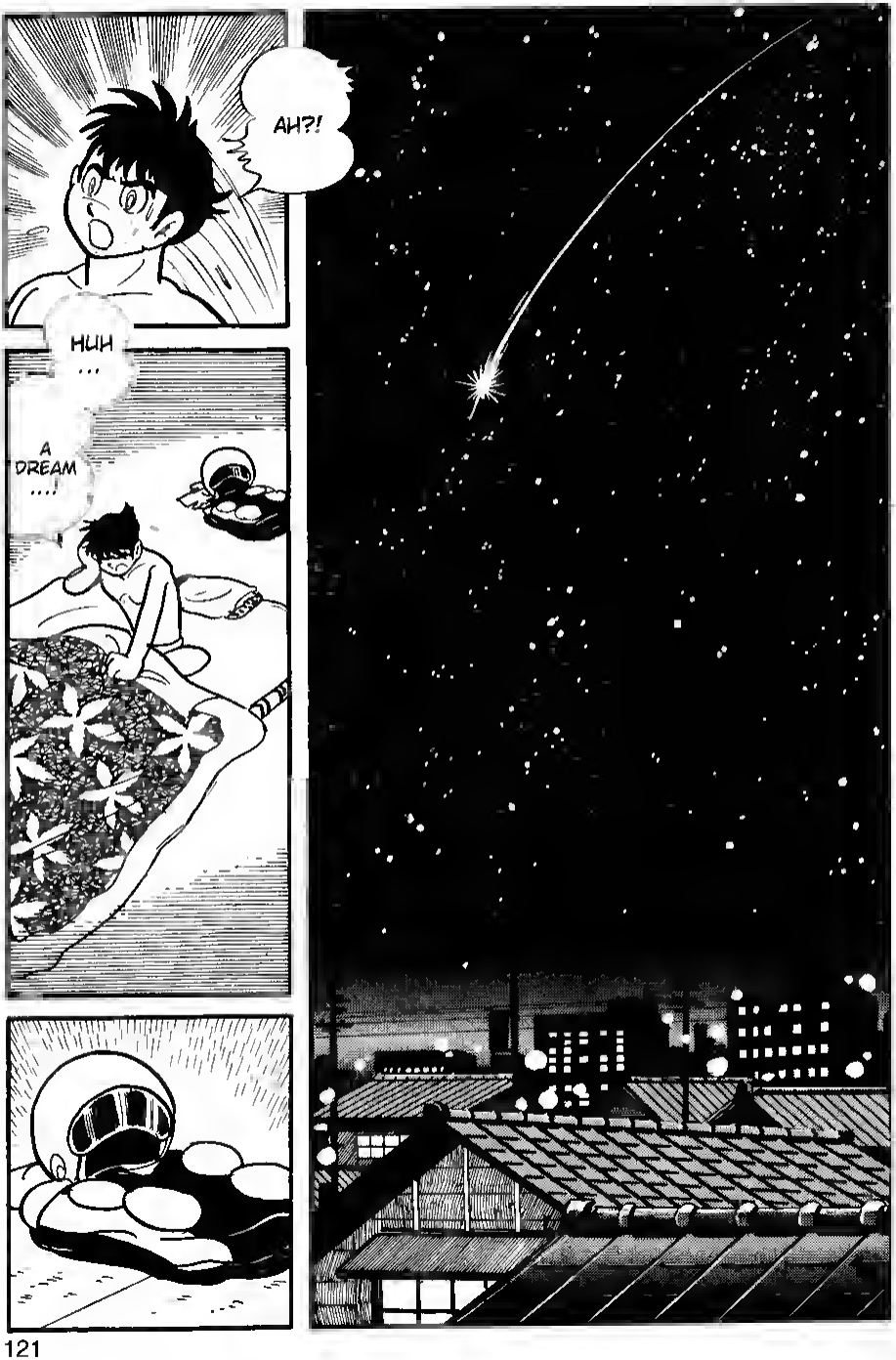
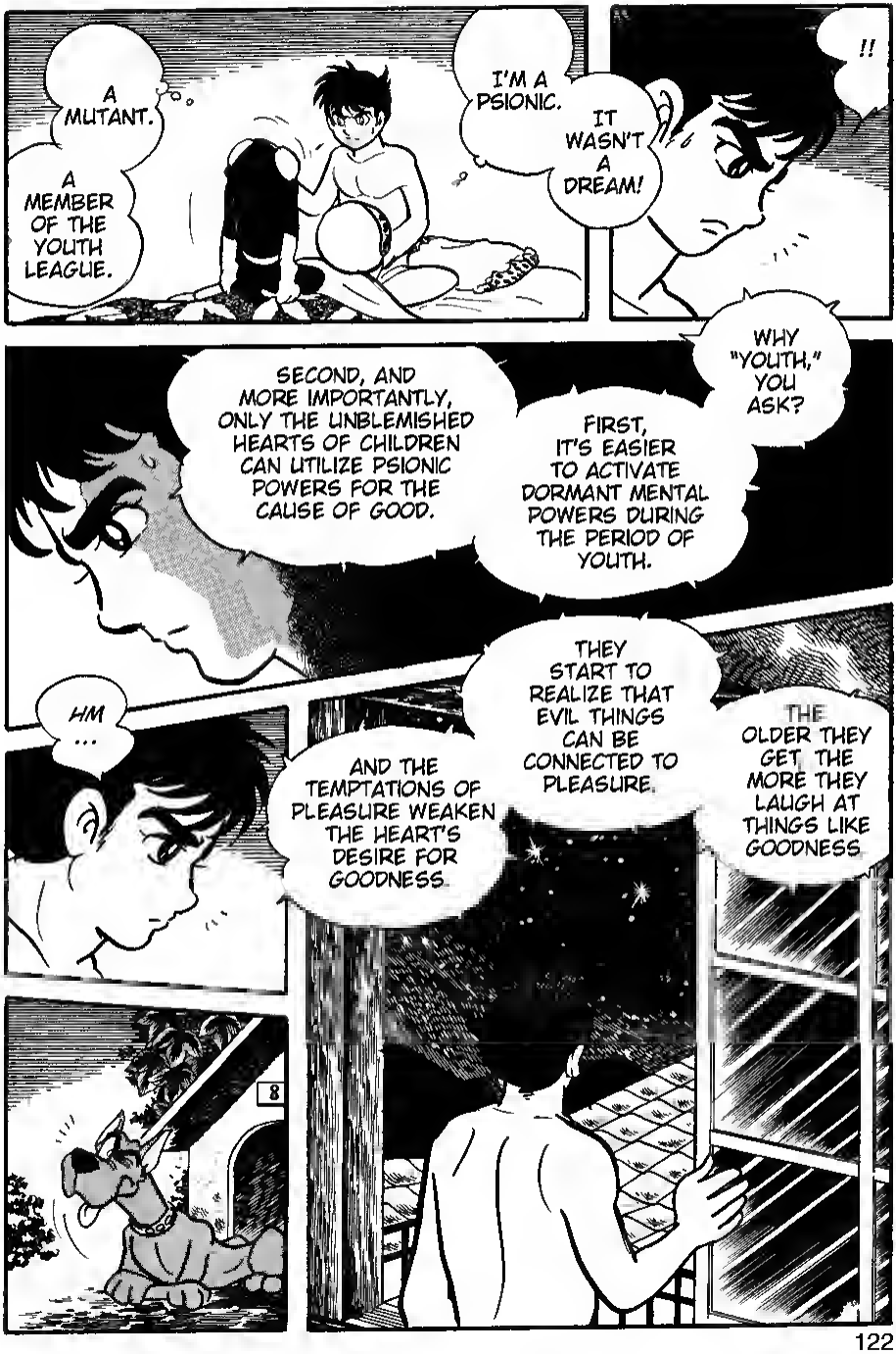

AH?!
HUH ...
A DREAM ....!


A MUTANT.
A MEMBER OF THE YOUTH LEAGUE.
I'M A PSIONIC.
IT WASN'T A DREAM!
!!
WHY "YOUTH," YOU ASK?
FIRST, IT'S EASIER TO ACTIVATE DORMANT MENTAL POWERS DURING THE PERIOD OF YOUTH.
SECOND, AND MORE IMPORTANTLY, ONLY THE UNBLEMISHED HEARTS OF CHILDREN CAN UTILIZE PSIONIC POWERS FOR THE CAUSE OF GOOD.
HM ...
THE OLDER THEY GET, THE MORE THEY LAUGH AT THINGS LIKE GOODNESS.
THEY START TO REALIZE THAT EVIL THINGS CAN BE CONNECTED TO PLEASURE.
AND THE TEMPTATIONS OF PLEASURE WEAKEN THE HEART'S DESIRE FOR GOODNESS.
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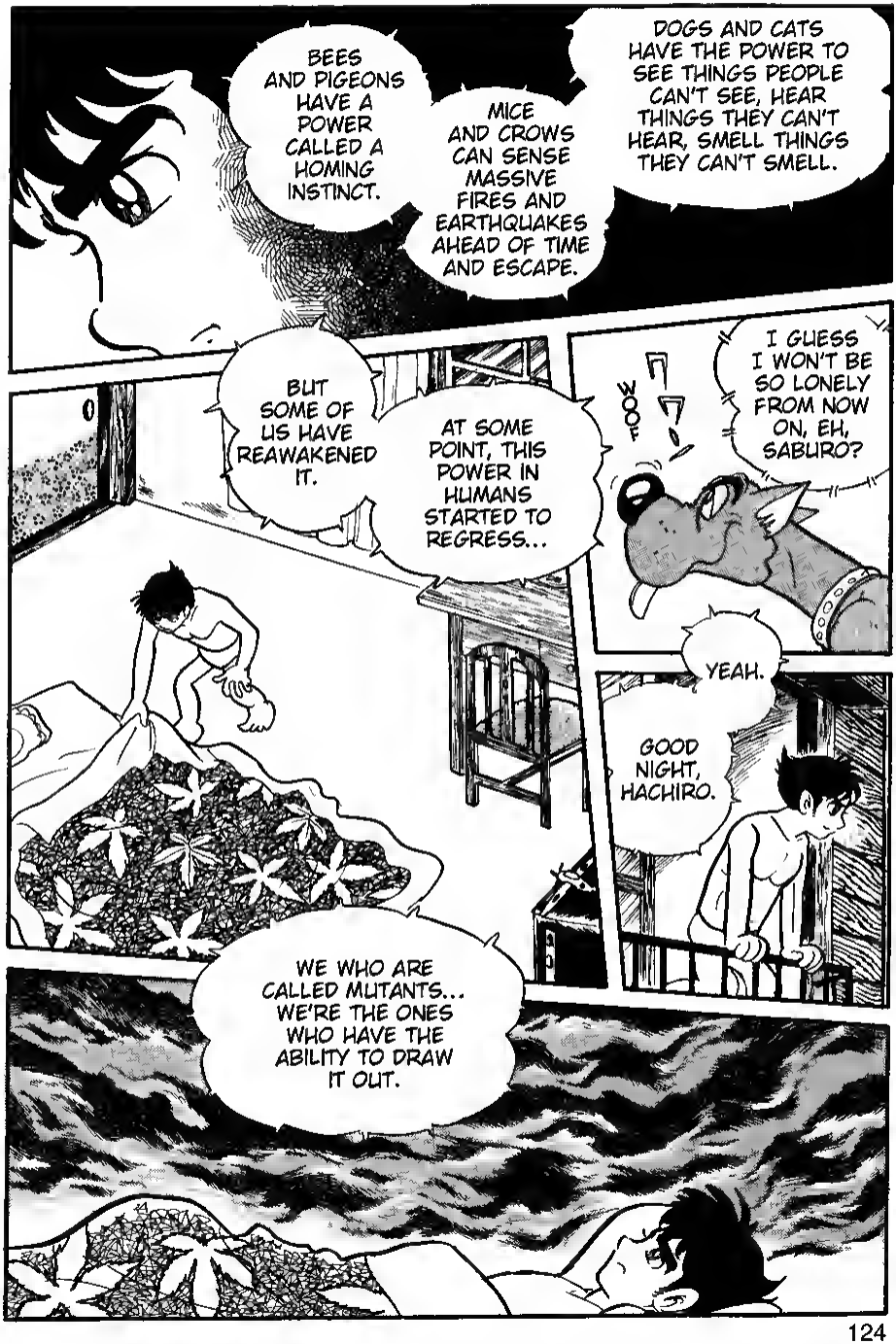
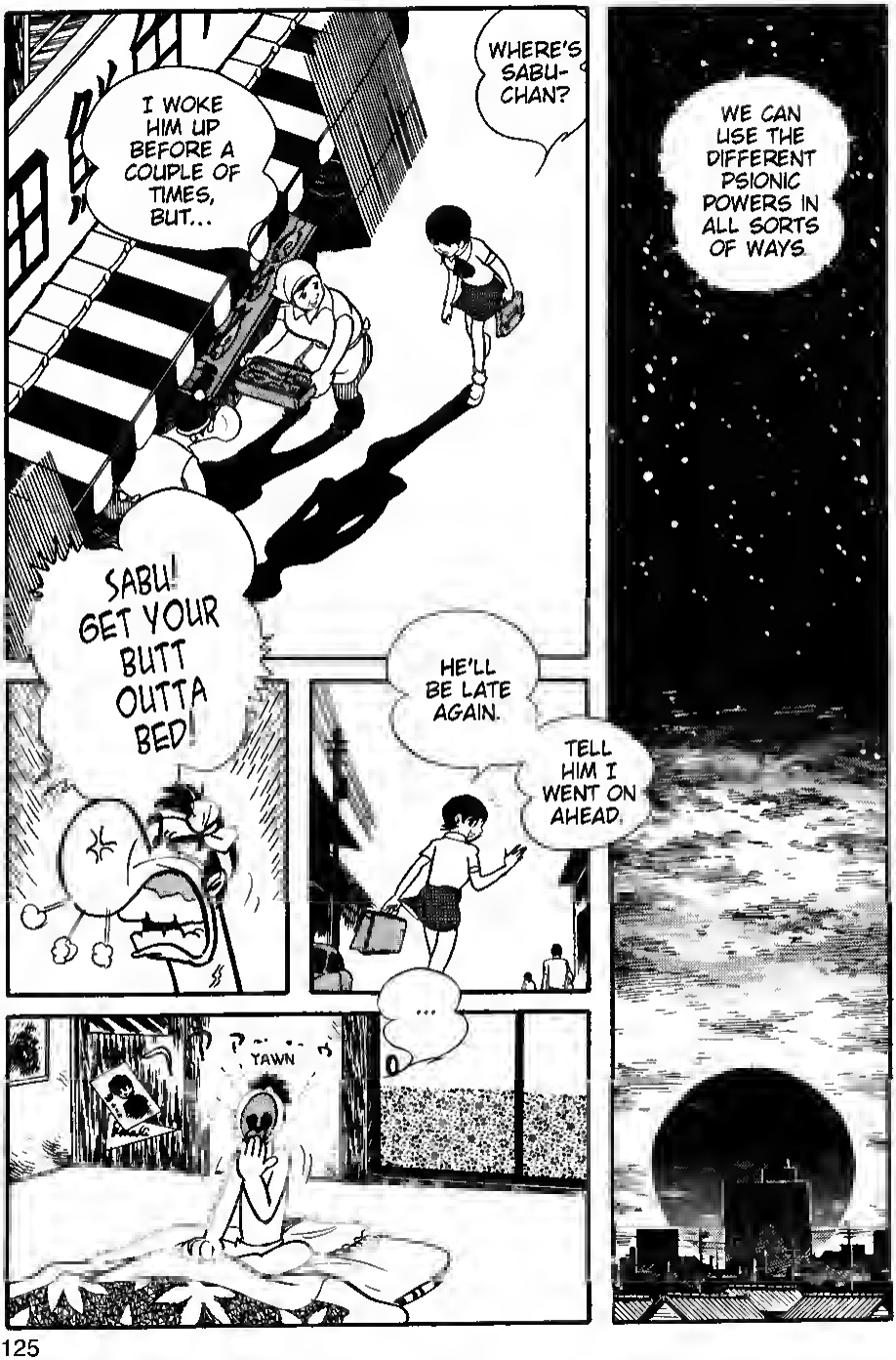
HEY, HACHIRO!
BANBA IS GATHERING ONLY ADULT PSIONICS— FOR THE SAKE OF DOMINATING THE HUMAN WORLD.
SO YOU FINALLY HEAR ME, SABURO?
SMIRK
HM?
FINAL-LY?
...
WE'RE ALWAYS SPEAKING, BUT WE NEVER COMMUNICATE TO YOU.
THE HUMAN HEART IS NARROW ...
YEAH. I'VE BEEN SPEAKING TO YOU FOR A LONG TIME.
HUMANS HAVE HAD THIS POWER FROM ANCIENT TIMES.
EVERYONE HAS MENTAL POWERS...
BUT SOME ARE STRONG AND SOME ARE WEAK.


BEES AND PIGEONS HAVE A POWER CALLED A HOMING INSTINCT.
MICE AND CROWS CAN SENSE MASSIVE FIRES AND EARTHQUAKES AHEAD OF TIME AND ESCAPE.
DOGS AND CATS HAVE THE POWER TO SEE THINGS PEOPLE CAN'T SEE, HEAR THINGS THEY CAN'T HEAR, SMELL THINGS THEY CAN'T SMELL.
BUT SOME OF US HAVE REAWAKENED IT.
AT SOME POINT, THIS POWER IN HUMANS STARTED TO REGRESS...
WOF!
I GUESS I WON'T BE SO LONELY FROM NOW ON, EH, SABURO?
YEAH.
GOOD NIGHT, HACHIRO.
WE WHO ARE CALLED MUTANTS... WE'RE THE ONES WHO HAVE THE ABILITY TO DRAW IT OUT.


WHERE'S SABU-CHAN?
I WOKE HIM UP BEFORE A COUPLE OF TIMES, BUT...
SABU! GET YOUR BUTT OUTTA BED!
HE'LL BE LATE AGAIN.
TELL HIM I WENT ON AHEAD.
...
YAWN
WE CAN USE THE DIFFERENT PSIONIC POWERS IN ALL SORTS OF WAYS.

THE POWER TO INSTANTLY TRANSPORT TO A PLACE YOU'RE FAMILIAR WITH.
SABU-CHAN?!
FOR EXAM-PLE ...
INSTANT TELEPOR-TATION...
FFH
WHAT, YOU CAME EARLIER?
YEAH!
MM!
SEN-SEI!
GOOD MORNING, KOMAKI SENSEI.
GOOD MORN-ING.

HA... LIKE YOU DON'T KNOW!
HM? WHAT-EVER ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, KAZETA-KUN?
YOU'RE PRETTY GOOD AT HYPNOTISM, SENSEI.
SABU-CHAN, WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY TO KOMAKI SENSEI?
...
HO HO
HO HO... IT SOUNDS LIKE YOU'RE STILL TALKING IN YOUR SLEEP, KAZETA-KUN!
...THEN WHAT SHOULD I DO?
IF THAT TEACHER IS THE ENEMY...

I'LL HAVE TO KEEP A CLOSE EYE ON HER
I HOPE I DON'T HAVE TO KILL THIS TEACHER
BUT I BETTER BE CAREFUL SO THAT SHE DOESN'T KILL ME

...
HUH ?
HEY, WHAT'S UP?
WHAT DID YOU SAY TO KOMAKI SENSEI?
AH ...
DON'T BE SO NOSY, MIYO!
I JUST SAID, "I LOVE YOU."
GRRR!!
THAT TEACHER IS AWFUL CHARMING.

...
KEEP A CLOSE EYE ON HER...
I CAN'T SEEM TO GRAB WHAT SHE'S THINKING.
BUT EVEN SO...
SHE MUST HAVE RAISED A SHIELD AROUND HER MIND.

I PUT UP A SHIELD OF MY OWN...
BUT TO READ SOMEBODY ELSE'S MIND... MAYBE I HAVE TO OPEN MY OWN.
MAYBE HAVING A SHIELD MEANS COMMUNICATION IS CLOSED BOTH WAYS...
ネムレ
SLEE
THAT MUST BE HOW THE MIND WORKS!
SO WHAT DO I DO NOW?
...
ネムレ
SLEEP
SLEEP
SLEEP
ネムレ
ネムレ
ネム
ネムレ
SLEEP

MM!
ANG!
COPY THIS DOWN.
ALL RIGHT, CLASS.
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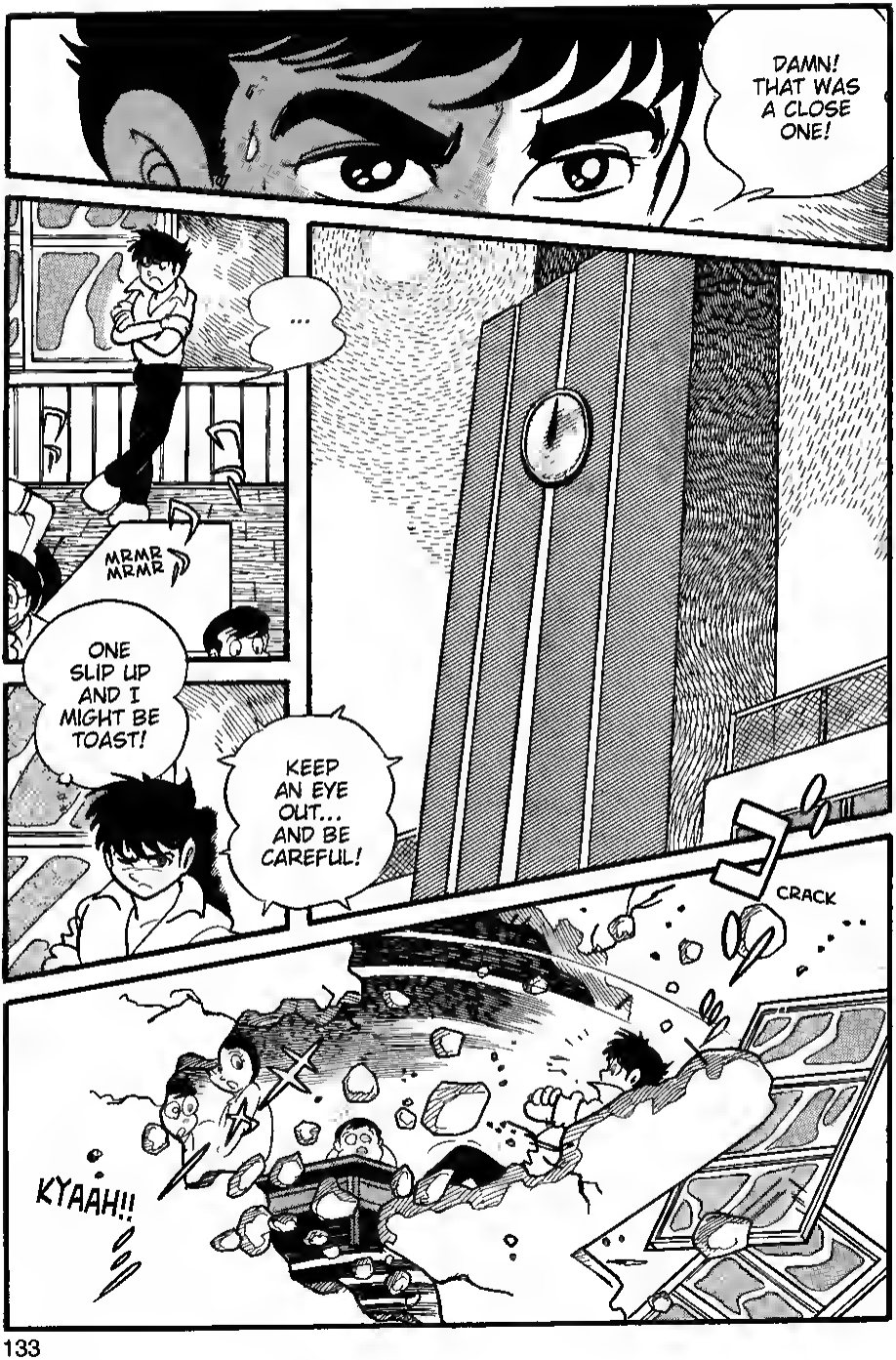
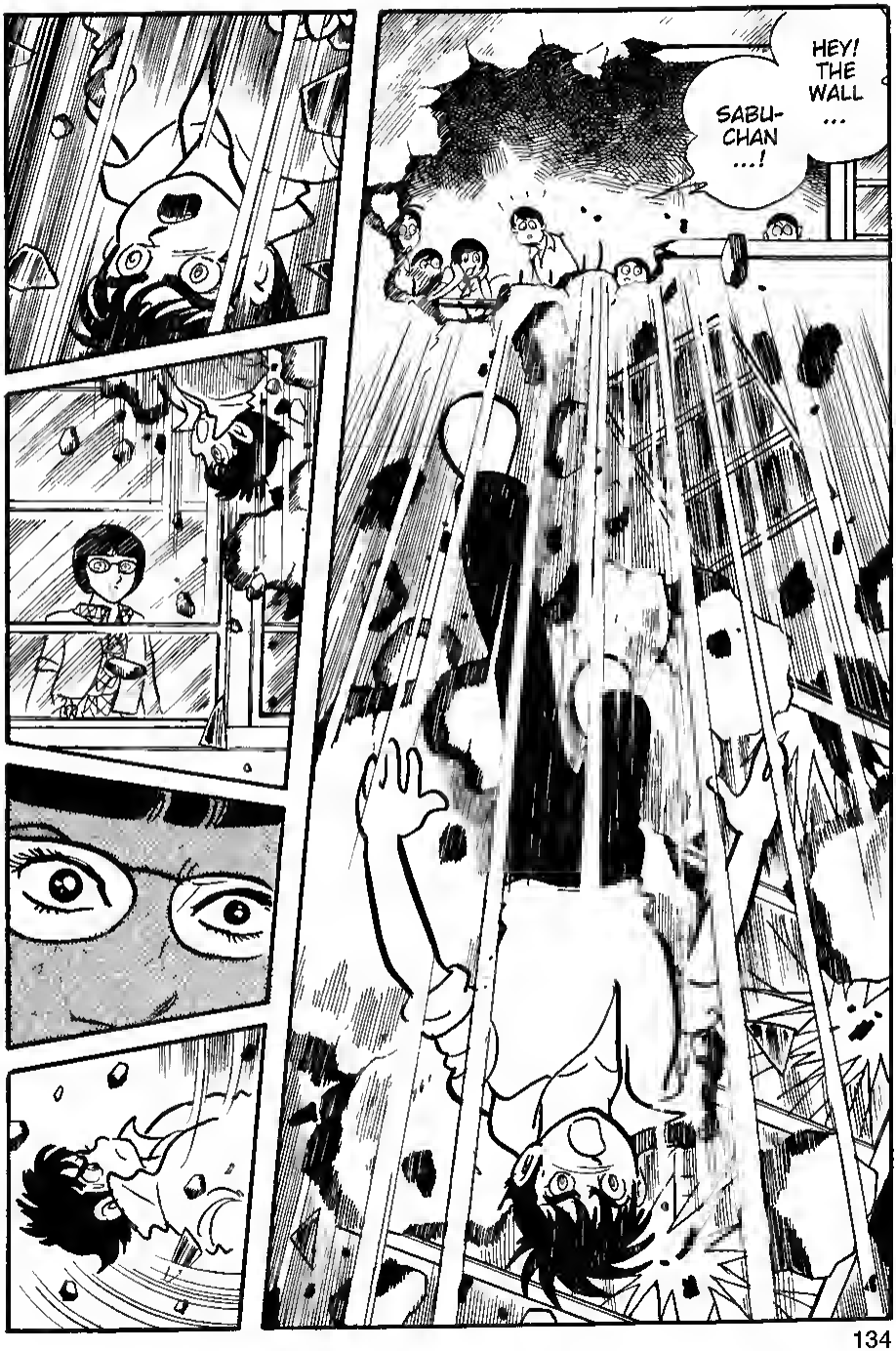
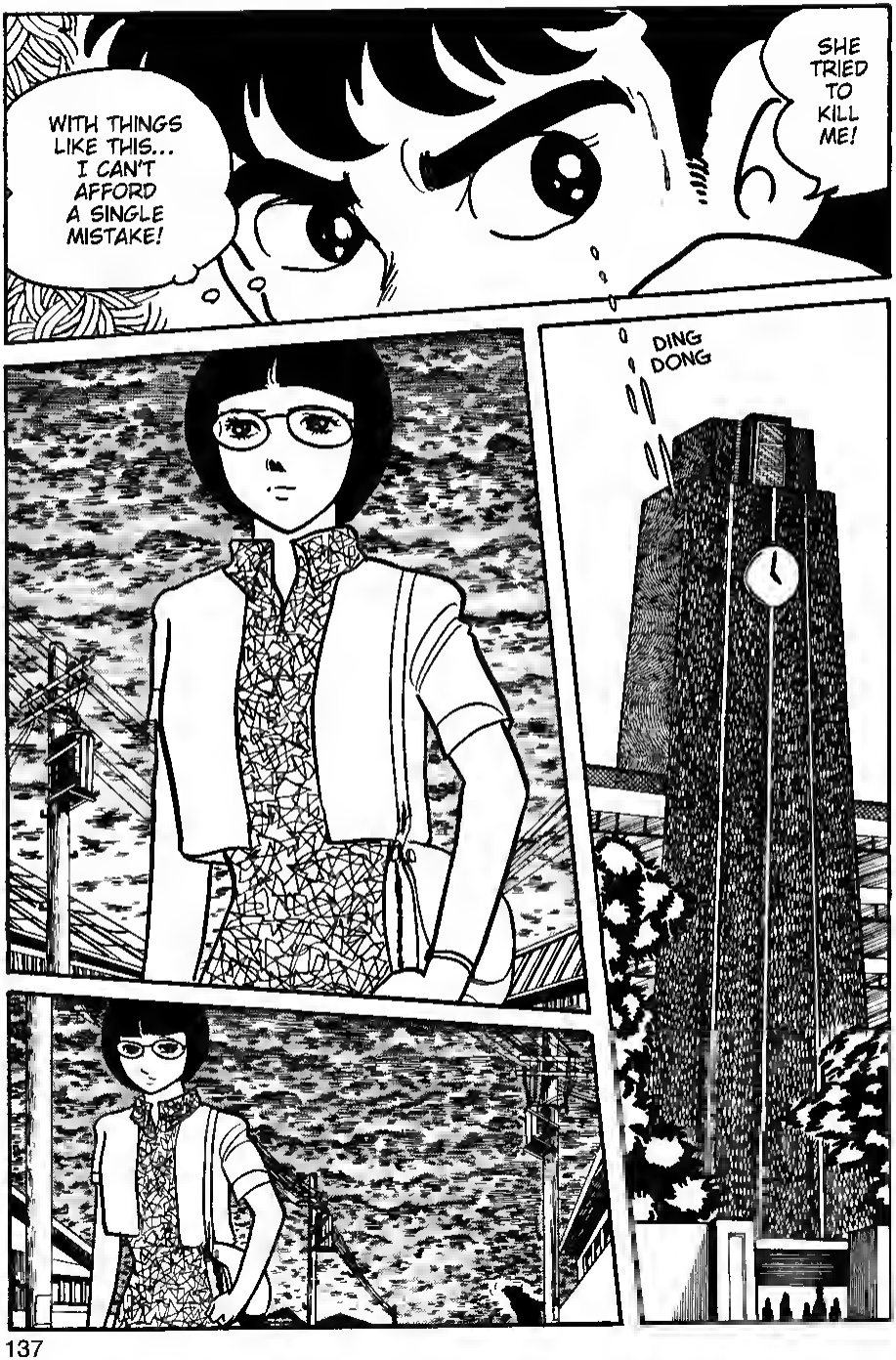
ACH!
SL
NOD
EE
NOD NOD
EP
POKE

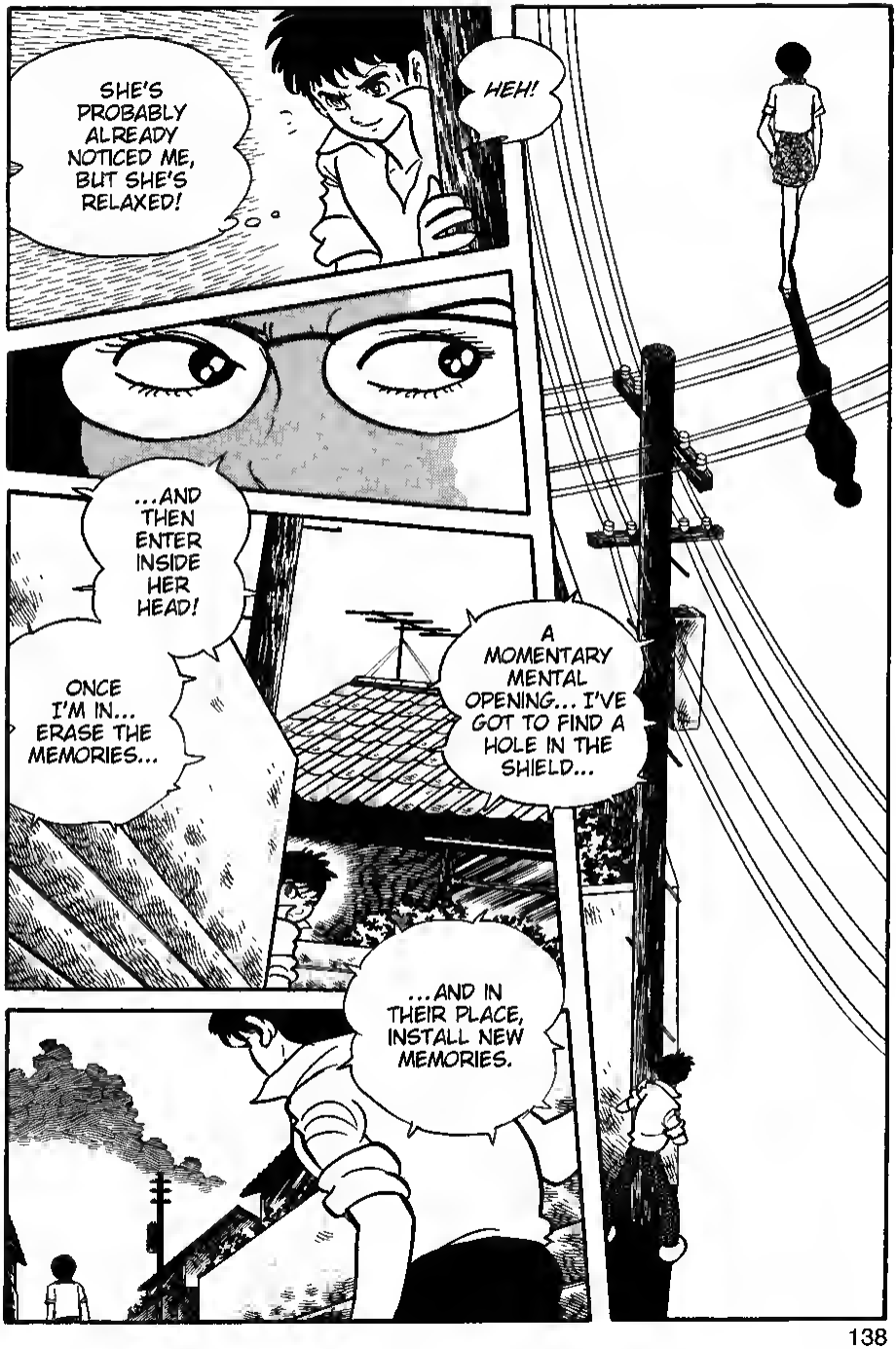

DAMN! THAT WAS A CLOSE ONE!
...
MRMR MRMR
ONE SLIP UP AND I MIGHT BE TOAST!
KEEP AN EYE OUT... AND BE CAREFUL!
CRACK
KYAAH!!

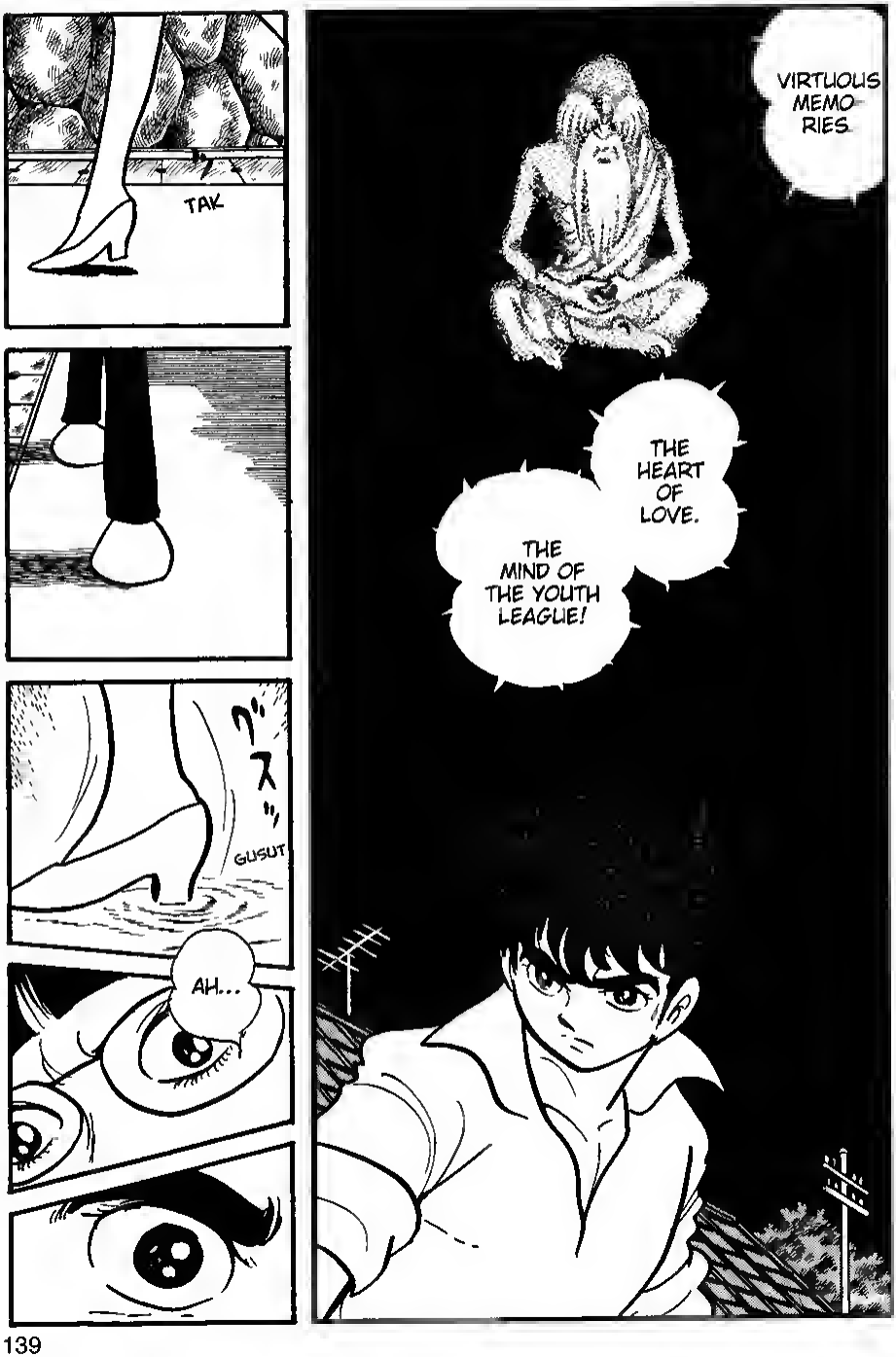

HEY! THE WALL ...
SABU-CHAN ...!

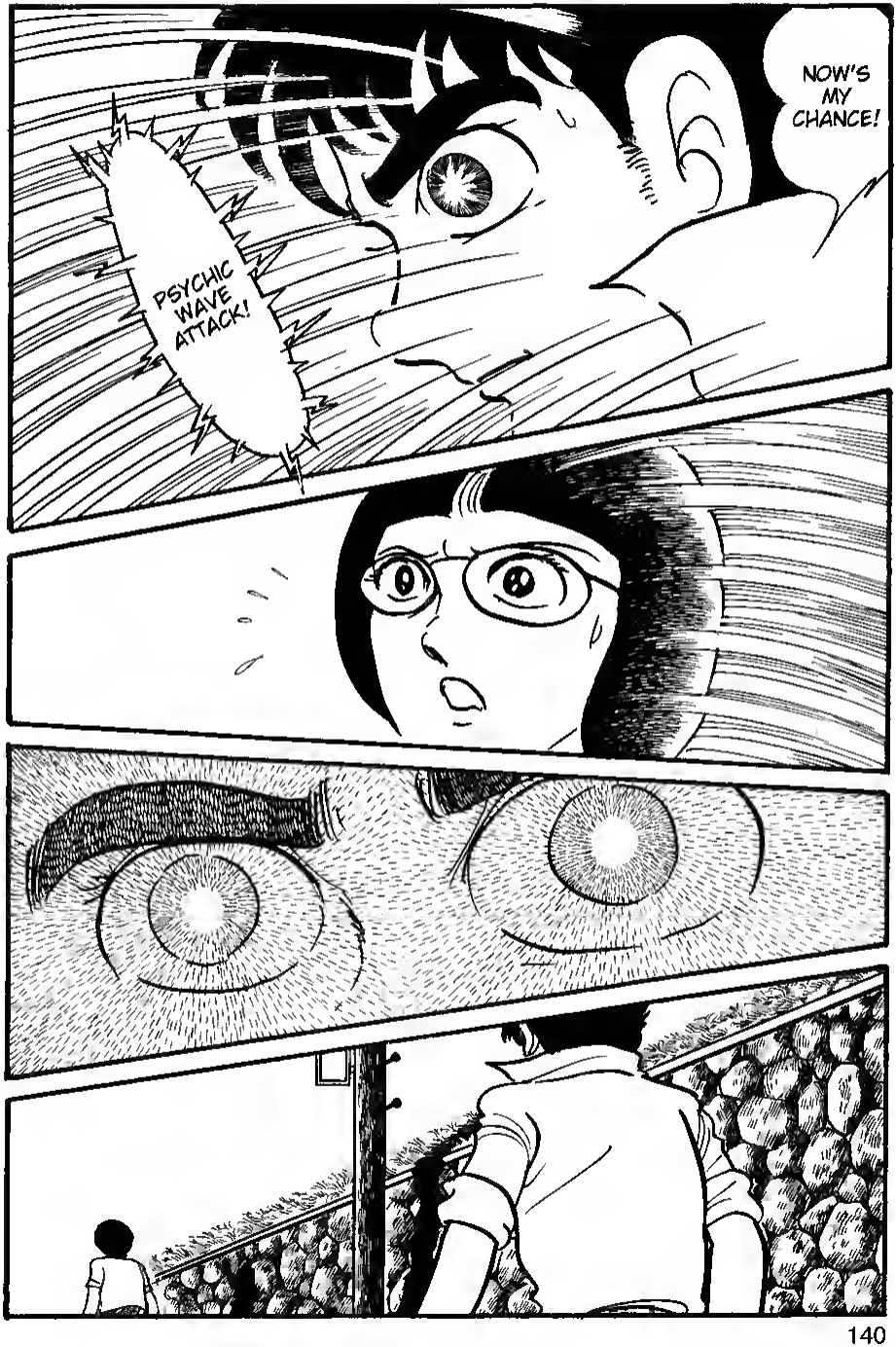
DOSA DOSA GACHAN GACHAN
KAZETA-KUN, WHAT HAPPENED ?!
KLAK
ARE YOU HURT ?!
N-NAH... I'M FINE. THANKS FOR THE CONCERN.
CRUD! I GOT CAUGHT OFF GUARD!

MRMR
MRMR
WHAT LOUSY CONSTRUCTION! CALL THE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY IMMEDIATELY!
WHAT HAPPENED? THE WALL COLLAPSED AND YOU FELL?!
...


SHE TRIED TO KILL ME!
WITH THINGS LIKE THIS... I CAN'T AFFORD A SINGLE MISTAKE!
DING DONG

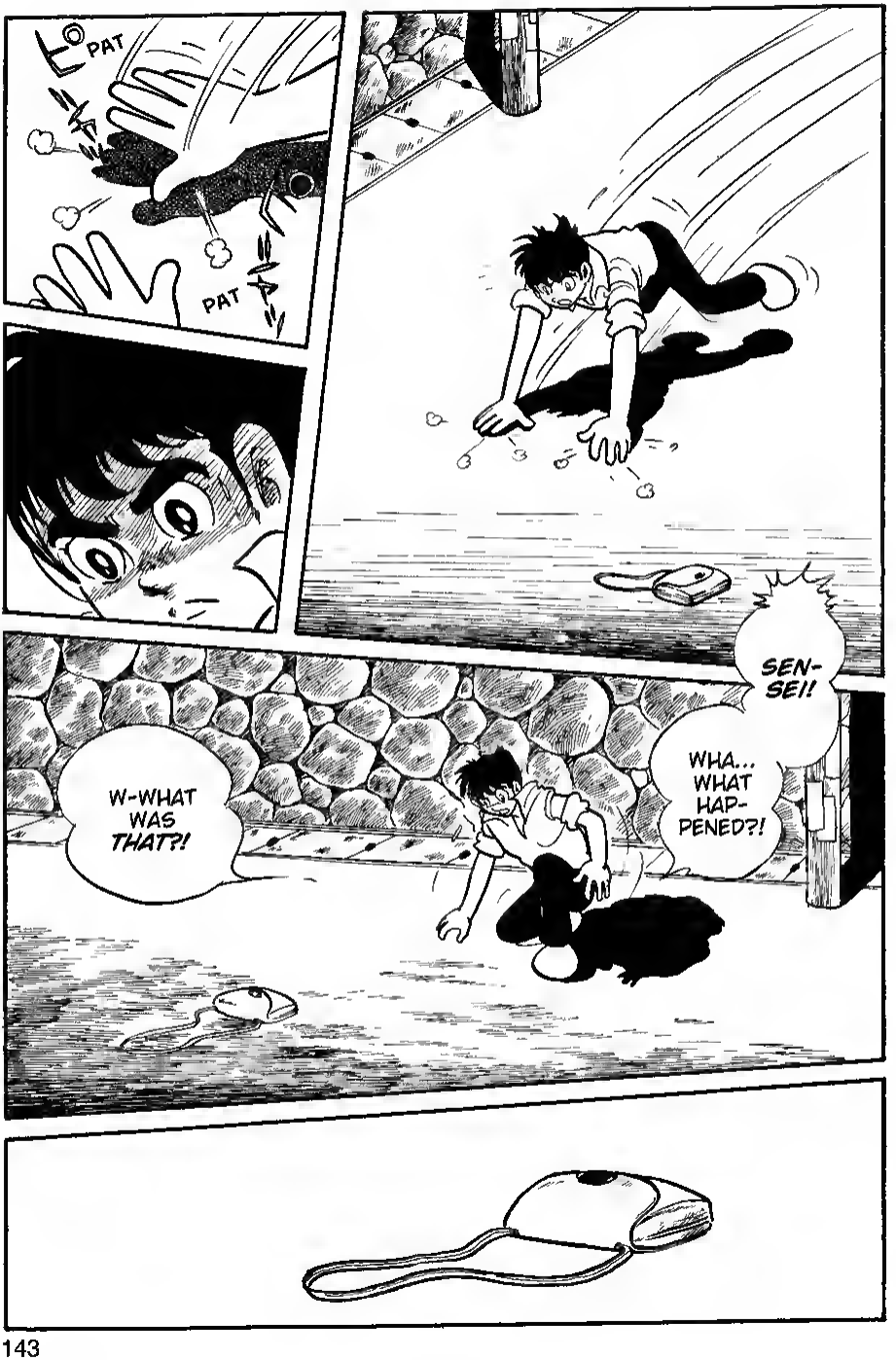

SHE'S PROBABLY ALREADY NOTICED ME, BUT SHE'S RELAXED!
HEH!
...AND THEN ENTER INSIDE HER HEAD!
ONCE I'M IN... ERASE THE MEMORIES...
A MOMENTARY MENTAL OPENING... I'VE GOT TO FIND A HOLE IN THE SHIELD...
...AND IN THEIR PLACE, INSTALL NEW MEMORIES.


TAK
VIRTUOUS MEMO-RIES.
THE HEART OF LOVE.
THE MIND OF THE YOUTH LEAGUE!
ゲズッ
GUSUT
AH...


NOW'S MY CHANCE!
PSYCHIC WAVE ATTACK!

KA... KAZETA-KUN!
KOMAKI SENSEI!
AH! IT...IT WORKED!
GUBUT
A-AH.. KAZETA-KUN!
KAZETA-KUN!

SENSEI ?!
ZUUU
AAAH!!
ZUBU ZUBU ZUBU
SENSEI ?!
ズズズ!
ZU ZU ZU


PAT
PAT
SEN-SE!!
WHA... WHAT HAP-PENED?!
W-WHAT WAS THAT?!

UH?!
...
FSSH
SO... I BLEW IT.
SHE DISAP-PEARED!
I MADE HER DISAP-PEAR!
BECAUSE I WAS RELOADING HER MIND...
IT'S MY FAULT... ALL MY FAULT!

AAAGH!!
SENSEI!!

KOMAKI SENSEI ...
SHE'S GONE ...
COM- PLETELY.

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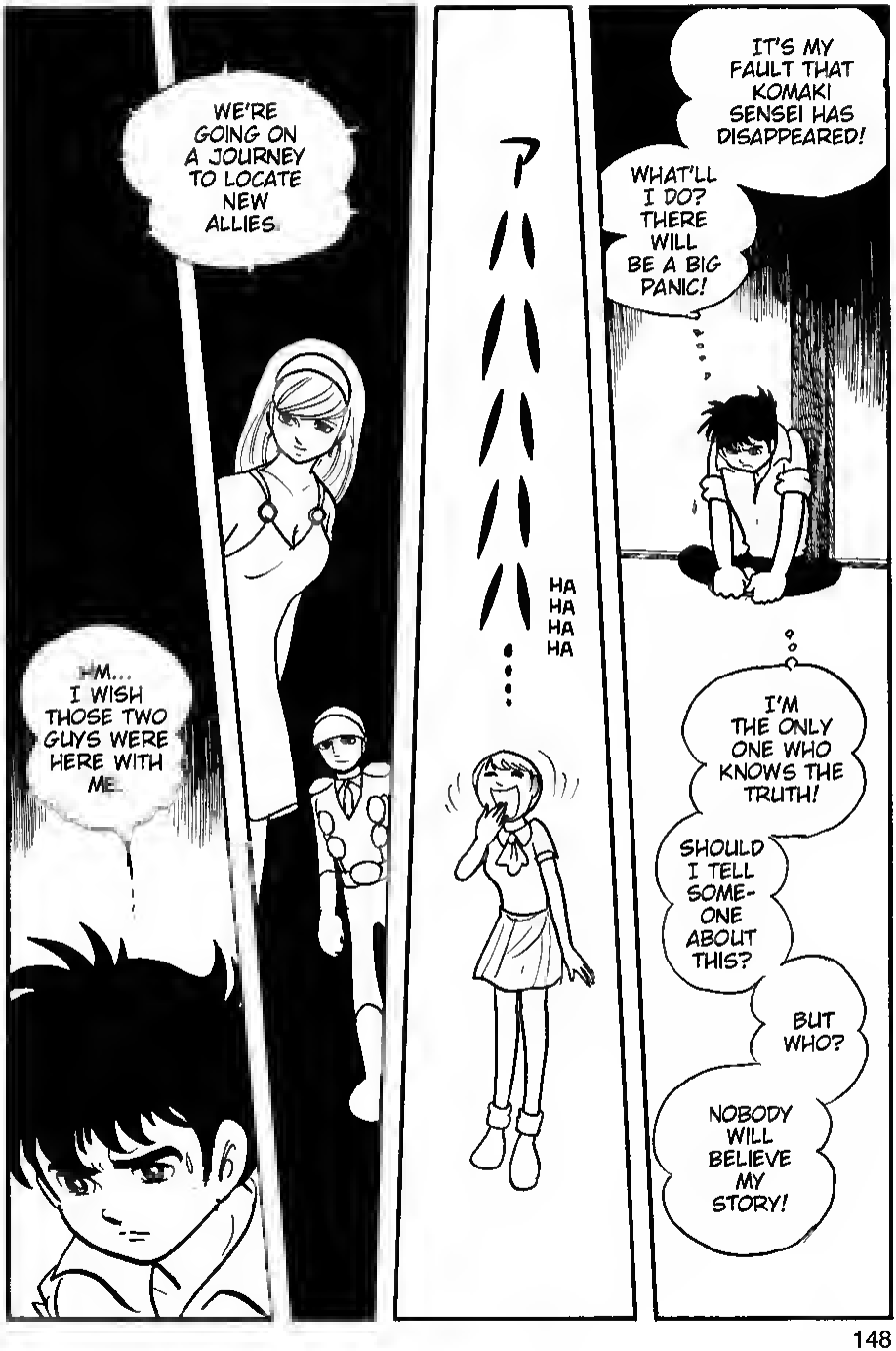
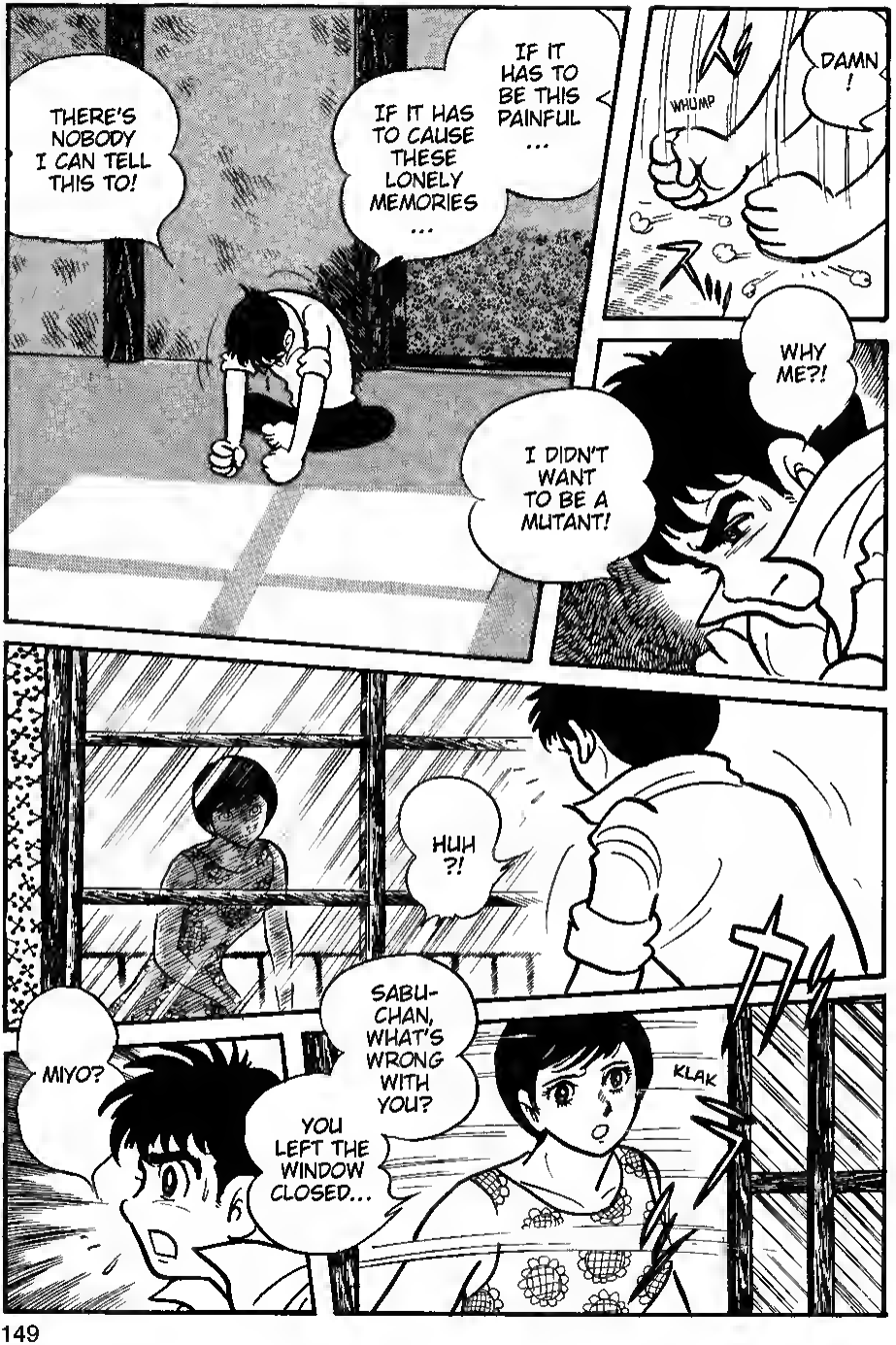
CHAPTER 5:
THE INDESTRUCTIBLE NEO-HUMANS
IT'S BECAUSE I WAS TRYING TO RELOAD KOMAKI SENSEI'S MEMORIES!
IT'S Mr FAULT!

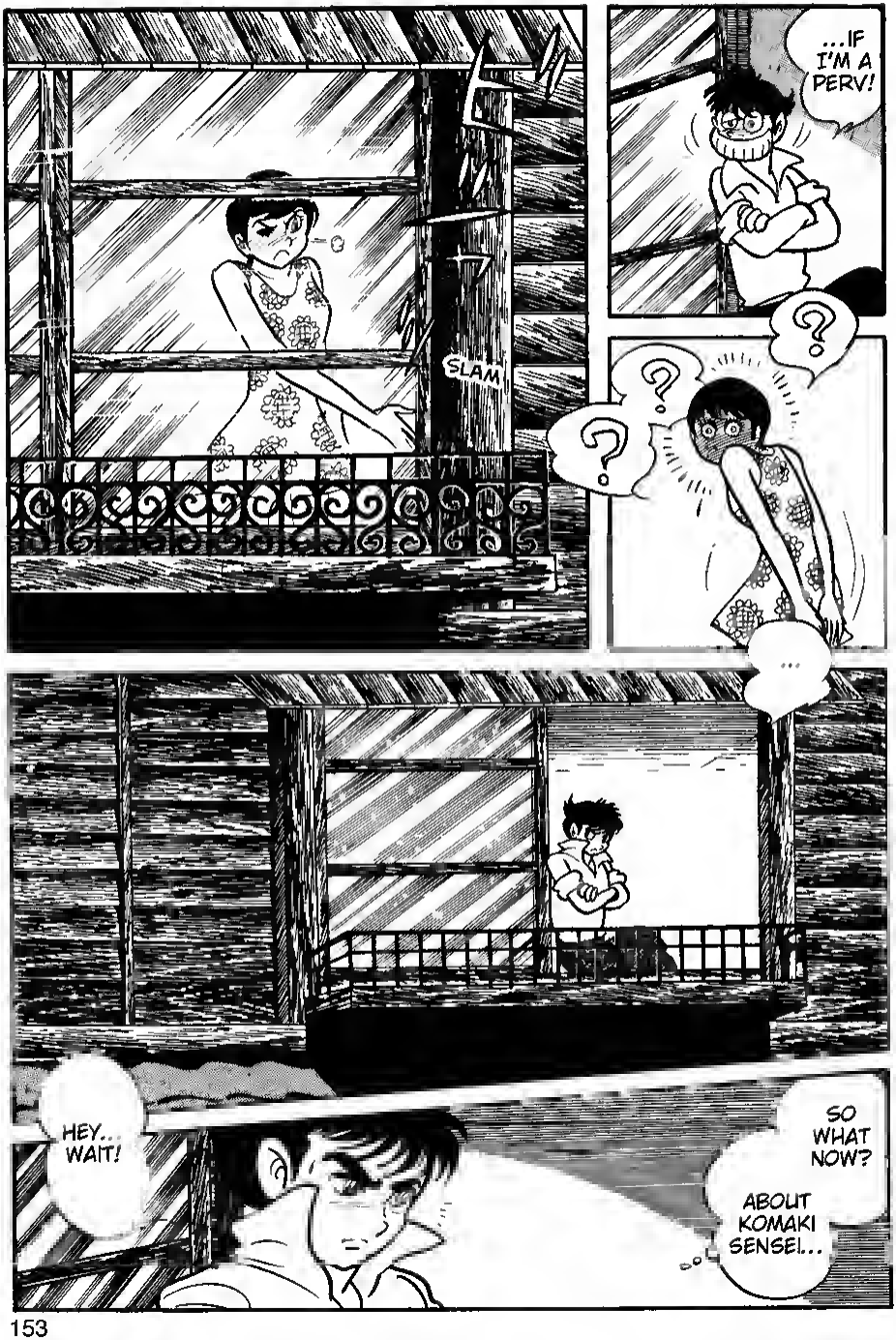

IT'S MY FAULT THAT KOMAKI SENSEI HAS DISAPPEARED!
WHAT'LL I DO? THERE WILL BE A BIG PANIC!
I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO KNOWS THE TRUTH!
SHOULD I TELL SOME-ONE ABOUT THIS?
BUT WHO?
NOBODY WILL BELIEVE MY STORY!
アハハハ…
HA HA HA HA
WE'RE GOING ON A JOURNEY TO LOCATE NEW ALLIES.
HM... I WISH THOSE TWO GUYS WERE HERE WITH ME.


THERE'S NOBODY I CAN TELL THIS TO!
IF IT HAS TO CAUSE THESE LONELY MEMORIES ...
IF IT HAS TO BE THIS PAINFUL ...
WHUMP
DAMN!
WHY ME?!
I DIDN'T WANT TO BE A MUTANT!
HUH?!
SABU-CHAN, WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
KLAK
MIYO?
YOU LEFT THE WINDOW CLOSED...

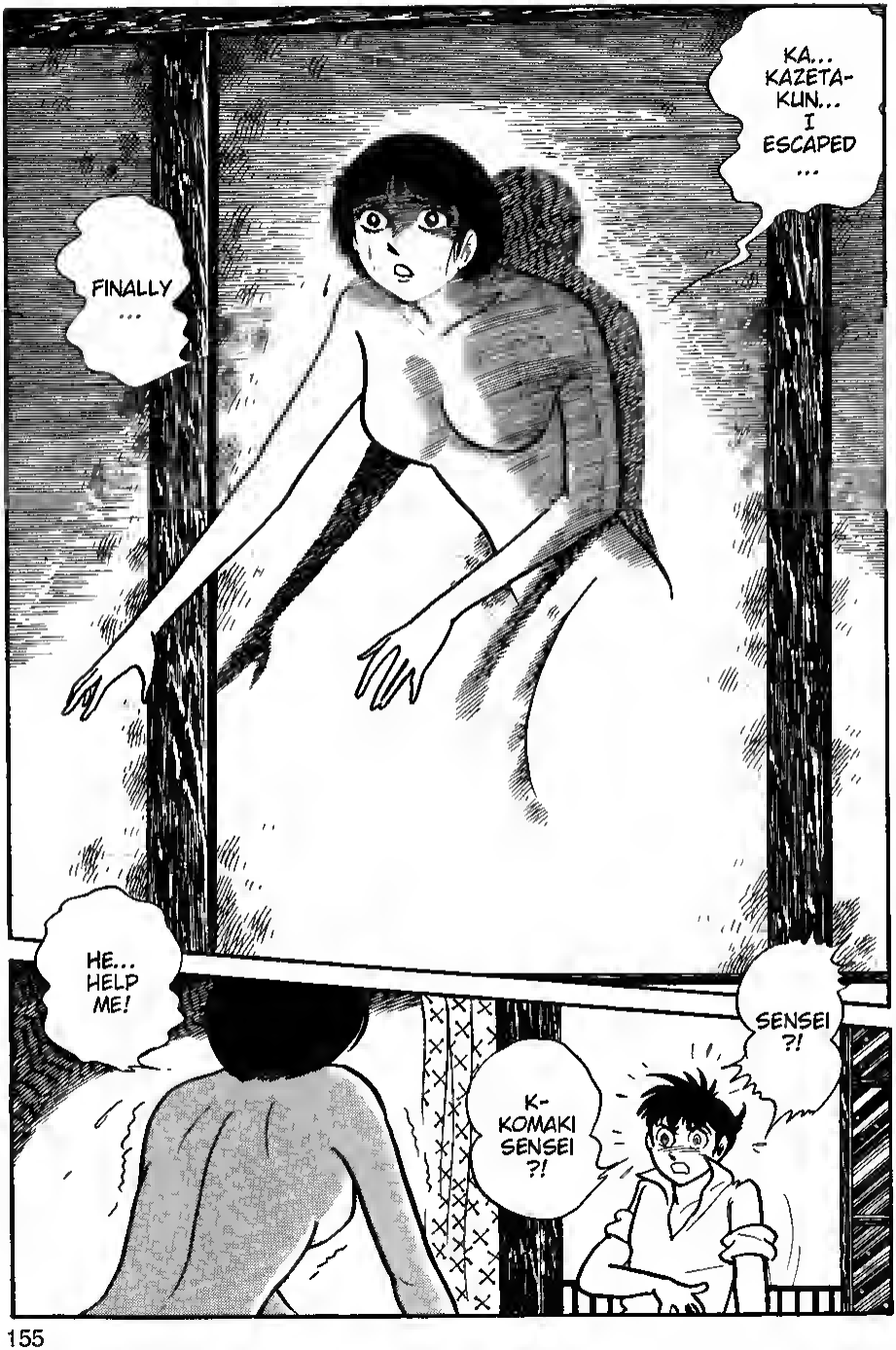
W- WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?!
REALLY... YOU'VE BEEN A LITTLE WACKO LATELY.
OF COURSE IT'S ME!
I GOT THE FEELING YOU WANTED TO SEE ME, SO...
HEH HEH... ACTUALLY ...
I COME IN HERE ALL THE TIME.
WHAT AM I DOING ?
YOU REALLY ARE STRANGE.
WELL... YEAH, I KNOW, BUT...
HUH?
FOLKS SAY IT OFTEN... THEY FELT A PREMONITION OR HAD A HUNCH...
THE SIXTH SENSE IS JUST LOW-LEVEL PSIONIC POWER.

SLAP
GYAH!
MIYO! THAT MEANS YOU...
UH...
WHA...
WHAT?!
DON'T TOUCH ME, YOU PERVERT!
"WHAT" YOURSELF!
YOU JUST TRIED TO KISS ME!
HEY! YOU GOT IT ALL WRONG!
THAT'S NOT IT! WHAT I WANT TO SAY IS...
"IT'S RELATED TO WHAT THEY USED TO CALL FEMALE HYSTERIA.
"REMEMBER, YOUNG FELLAH. WOMEN OFTEN GET THAT SIXTH SENSE.
"SO EVEN IF A WOMAN FEELS THE SIXTH SENSE, IT DOESN'T MEAN SHE HAS PSIONIC POWERS."

WSSH
ANYWAY, IT'S WAY BETTER THAN BEING A PERVERT!
HYS-TERIA ...
ARR!!
WHO'S GOT HYS-TERIA?!
THERE'S NO CHANCE THAT SHE'S GOT MENTAL POWERS. SHE'S CLEARLY GOT NO IDEA WHAT I'M THINKING.
TCH... GUESS I JUMPED THE GUN.
AND SO WHAT ...
FWIP
WSSH


SLAM
...IF I'M A PERV!
?
?
?
...
HEY... WAIT!
SO WHAT NOW?
ABOUT KOMAKI SENSEI...

OH YEAH. MIYO WILL SURELY ...
WHERE DOES THAT TEACHER LIVE?
APART-MENT ...
WHAT IF SHE'S RETURNED TO HER APARTMENT BY NOW?
HUH?!
KA-ZE-TA-KUN...
WHO... WHO'S THERE ?
KAZETA-KUN... IT'S...ME


KA... KAZETA-KUN... I ESCAPED ...
FINALLY ...
HE... HELP ME!
K-KOMAKI SENSEI ?!
SENSEI ?!

UH...
THUD
WAH!
SHE'S... NAKED!
COM-PLETELY!
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU, KOMAKI SENSEI?!
S-S-SENSEI?!
HUH?!
KA... KAZETA-KUN...
I'M SCARED... I'LL...BE KILLED!
P-PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER!

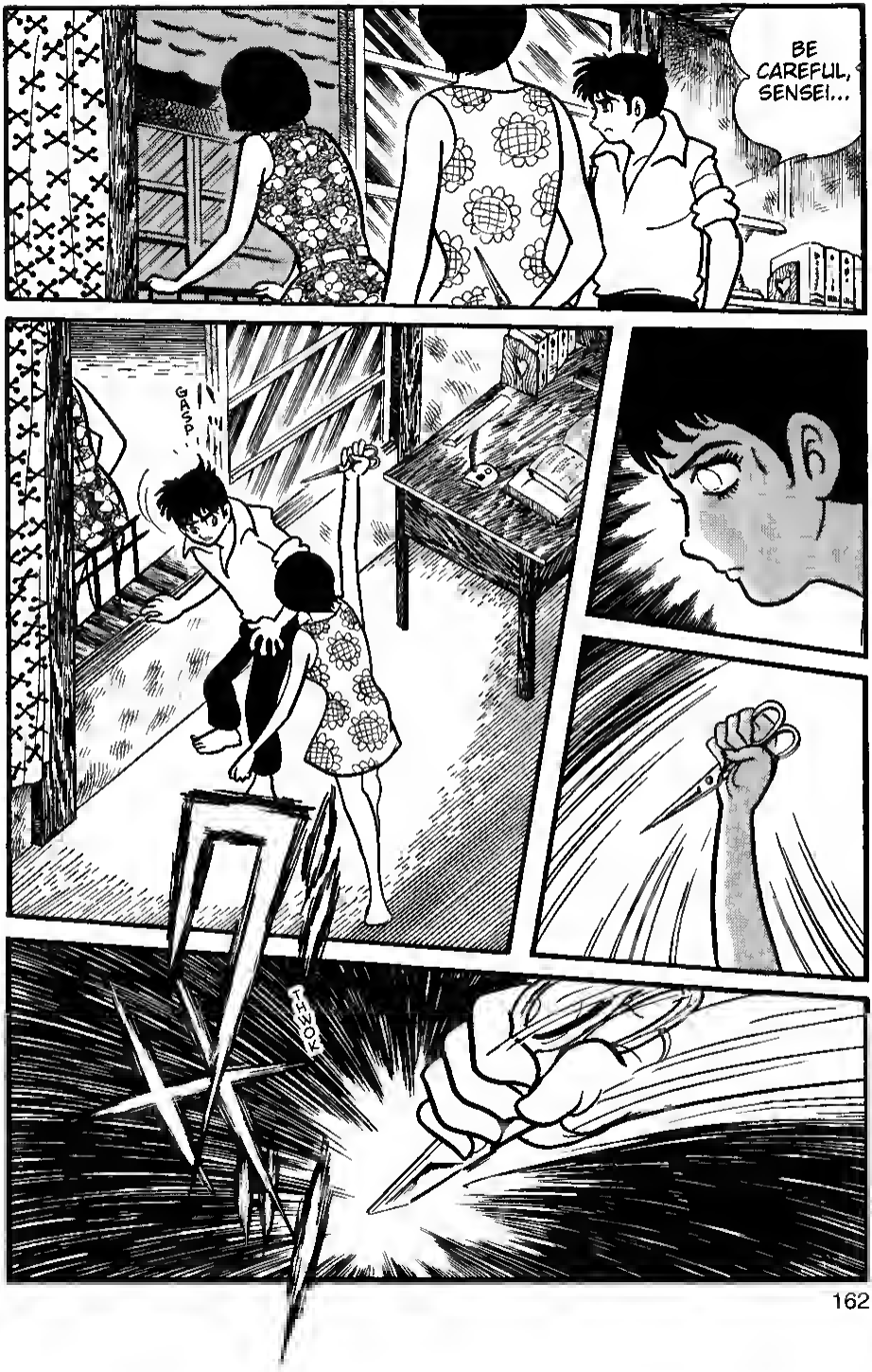
PER-VERT!
PER-VERT!
PER-VERT!
PER-VERT!
PER-VERT!
SHUT UP!
QUIT SCREAMING LIKE THAT!
GO BACK HOME AND BRING SOME CLOTHES!
AT LEAST YOUR BODY IS ADULT, SO YOU MUST HAVE SOME THAT FIT HER!
O-OKAY!
GO IN THERE AND GET HER DRESSED!
Y-YEAH ...
...

HM?
SHHP
WHEW!
SO MIYO READ MY MIND EARLIER!
MIYO WROTE THIS...
A MAP TO KOMACHI SENSEI'S APARTMENT?
KOMACHI

...
...
SO MIYO MUST HAVE SOME PSIONIC POWERS AFTER ALL!
UNDERSTAND? SABURO... YOU MUST...
Y-YES ...
KLAK

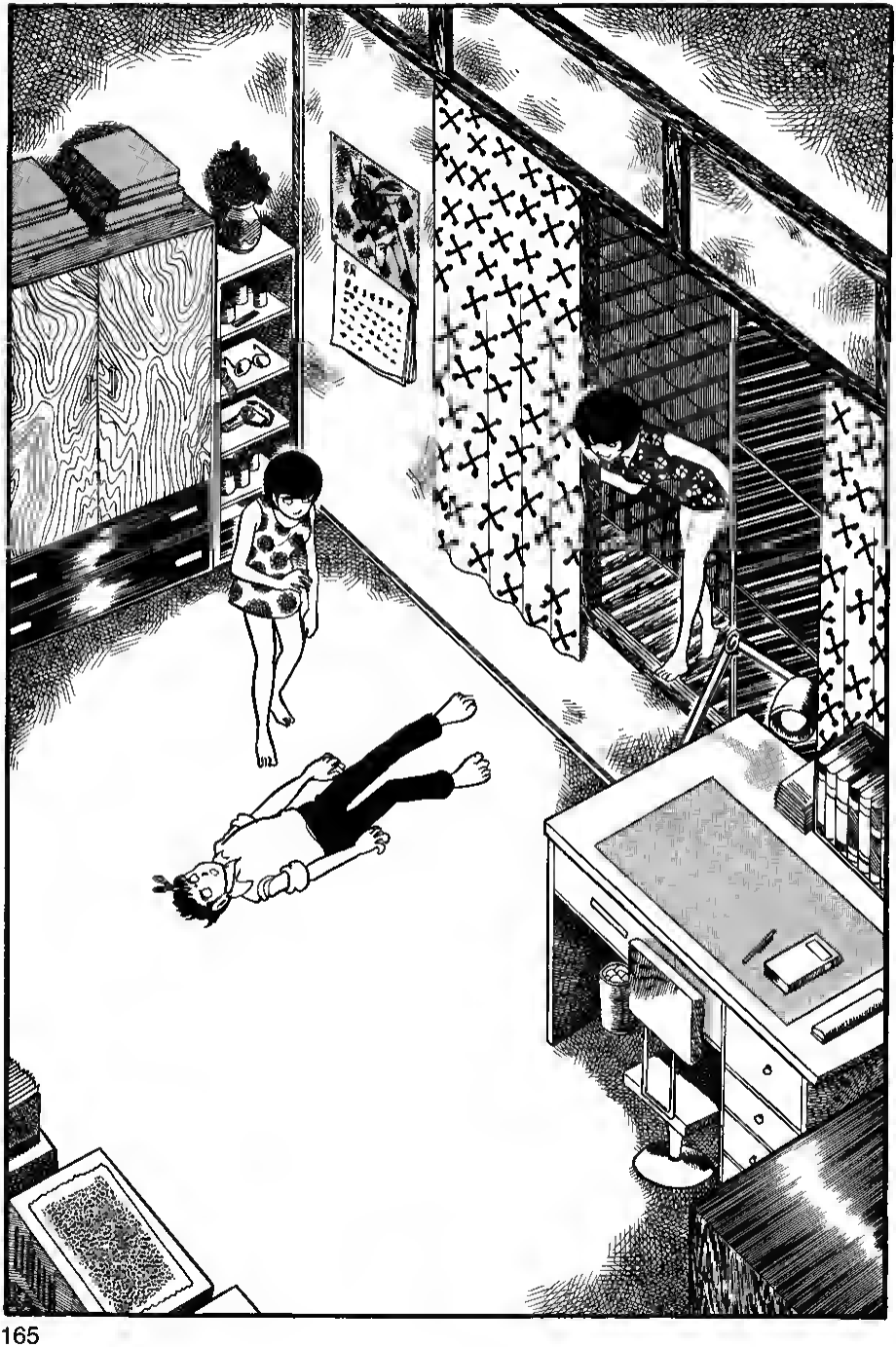
...
IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW.
COME IN, SABU-CHAN.
WITH THINGS LIKE THIS, YOU'LL NEED TO KNOW TOO...
MIYO ...
ONE GROUP OF THEM LOOKS DOWN ON CURRENT HUMANS AS MERE MONKEYS...
IN THE WORLD, THERE ARE PEOPLE WITH MENTAL POWERS CALLED NEO-HUMANS.

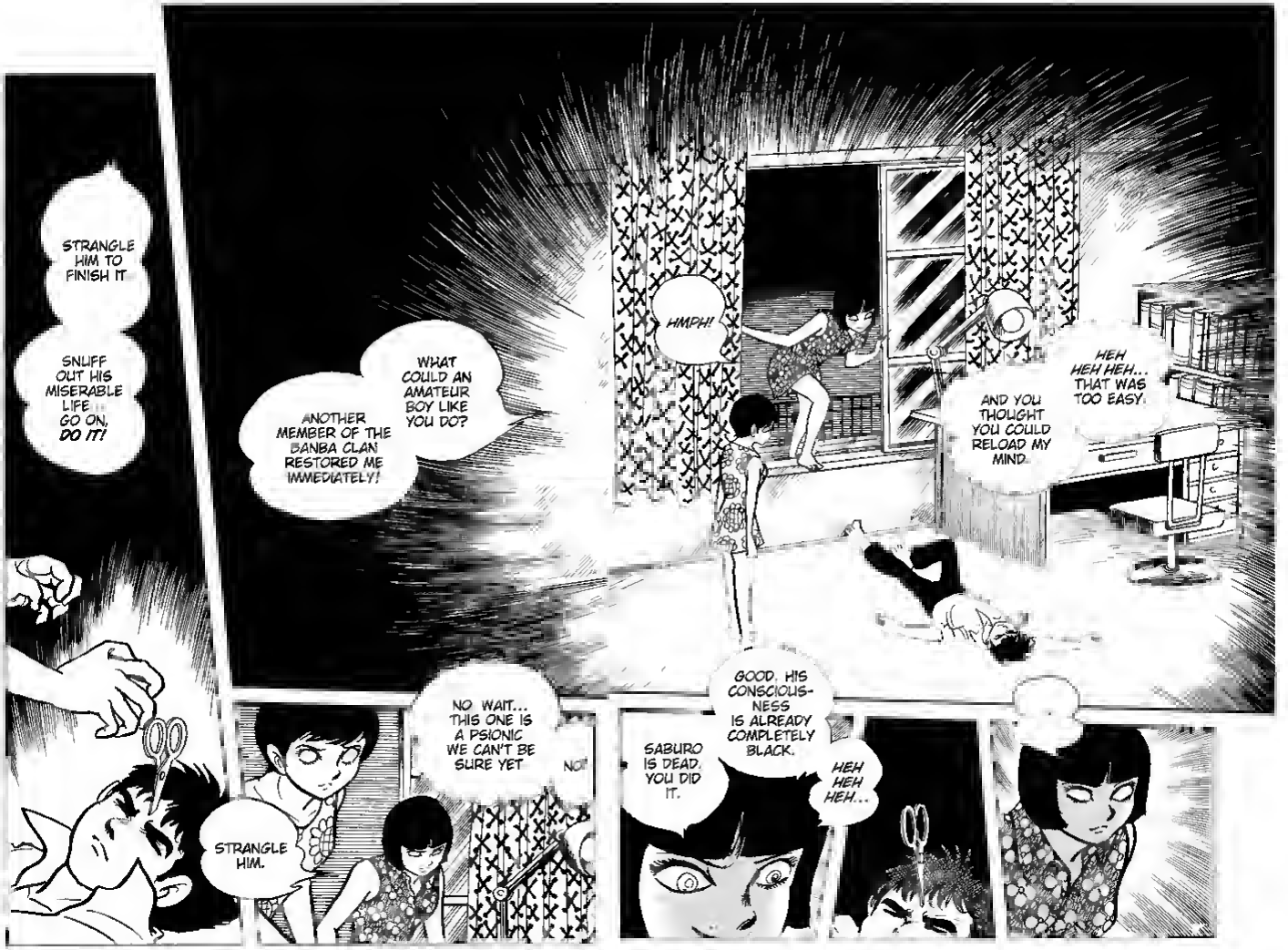
THERE'S ANOTHER GROUP TRYING TO STOP THEM.
ACTUALLY, KOMAKI SENSEI USED TO BE ONE OF THEM
THEY'RE TRYING TO DESTROY THE CURRENT HUMANS
MYSELF WAS RECENTLY RECRUITED INTO THE YOUTH LEAGUE...
UNDER-STAND ?
BUT IT'S THE TRUTH ABOUT WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW!
I KNOW IT'S PRACTICALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO BELIEVE THIS STORY... IT SOUNDS LIKE A KID'S TV SHOW...
AND SENSEI, YOU MUST BE COMPLETELY EXHAUSTED.
WELL, THE EVENING IS GETTING LATE.
YOU CAN STAY AT MY PLACE.


BE CAREFUL, SENSEI...
GASP
THROW

MI...
MIYO
...?!

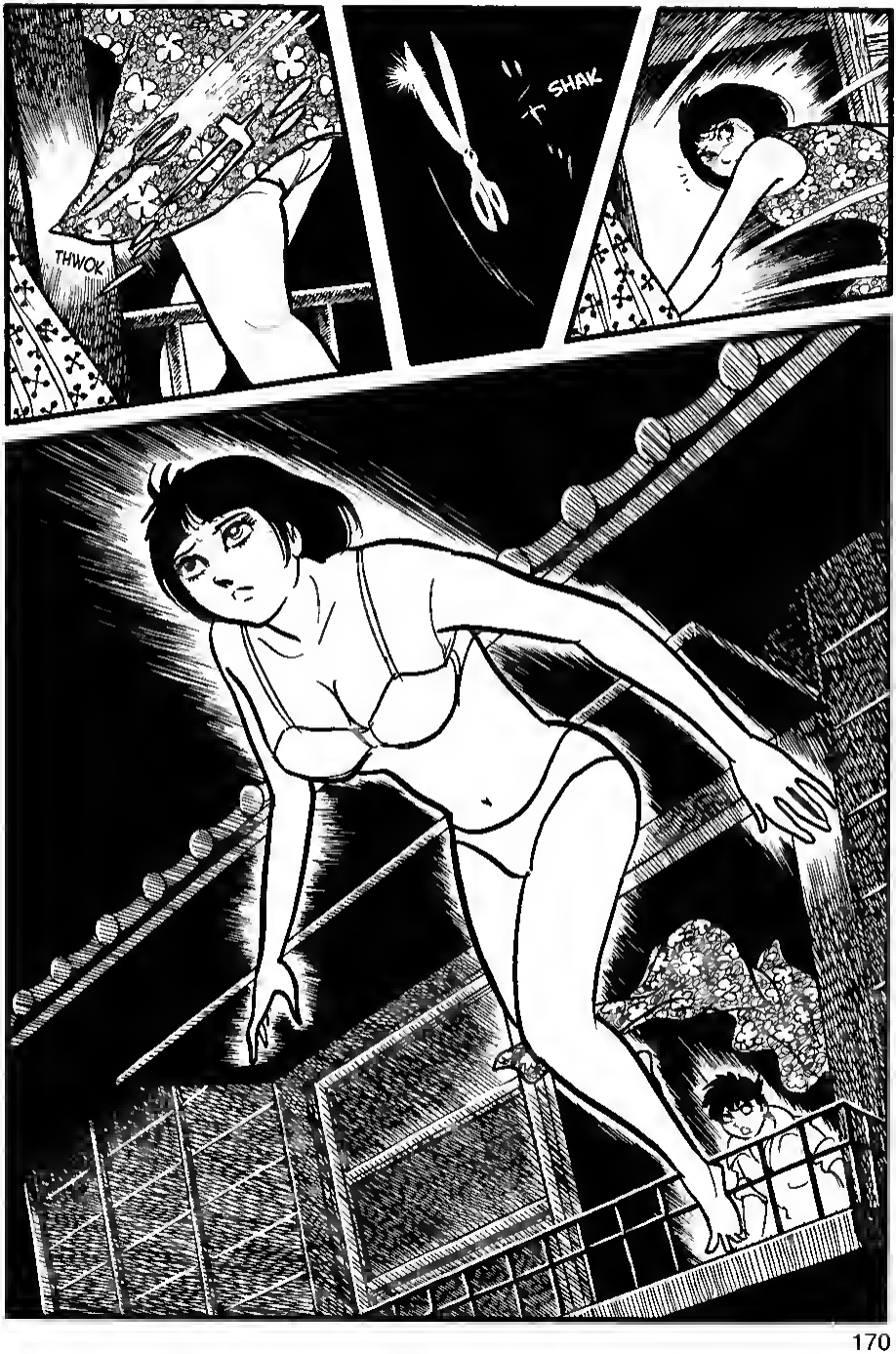
KO... KO-MAKI SENSEI ...
YOU... YOU ...?!
HA HA HA
HA HA HA
THUD

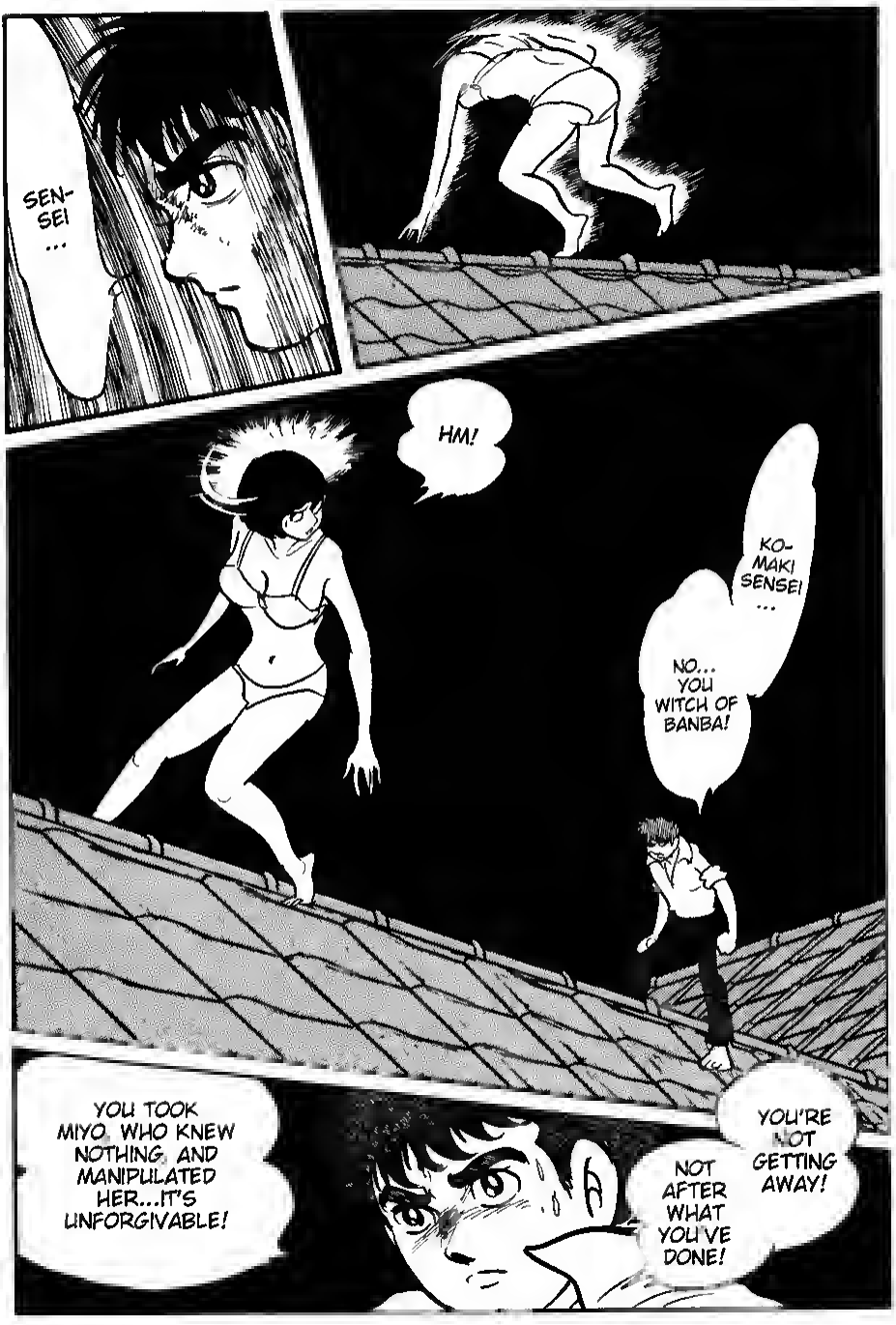



HMPH!
HEH HEH HEH... THAT WAS TOO EASY.
AND YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD RELOAD MY MIND.
WHAT COULD AN AMATEUR BOY LIKE YOU DO?
ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE BANBA CLAN RESTORED ME IMMEDIATELY!
STRANGLE HIM TO FINISH IT
SNUFF OUT HIS MISERABLE LIFE... GO ON, DO IT!
GOOD. HIS CONSCIOUSNESS IS ALREADY COMPLETELY BLACK.
SABURO IS DEAD. YOU DID IT.
HEH HEH HEH...
NO. WAIT... THIS ONE IS A PSIONIC WE CAN'T BE SURE YET
NO!
STRANGLE HIM.

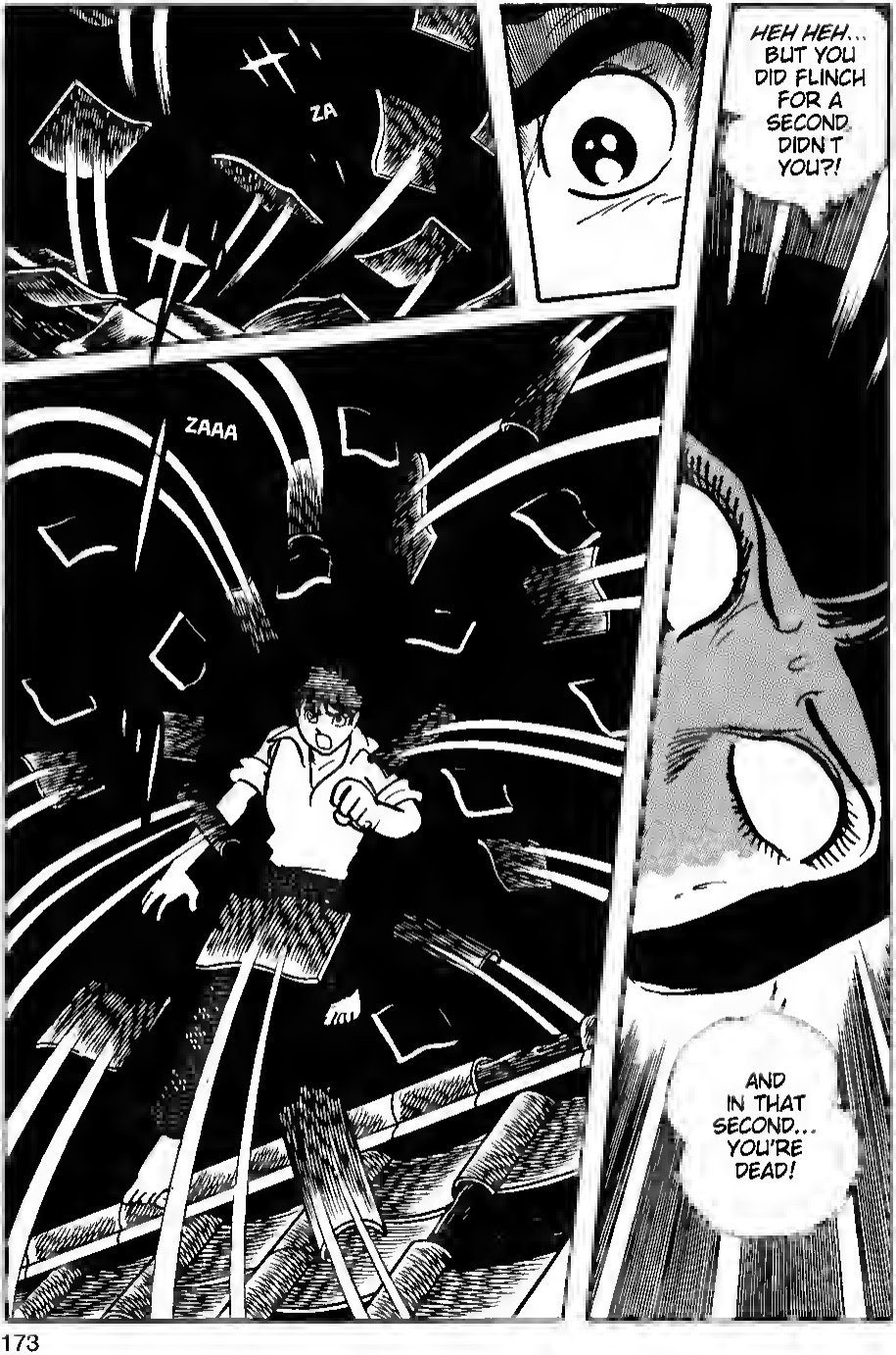
BZZT
BZZT
BZZT
BZZT
JOLT
BZZ
BZZ
BYUT
THUD

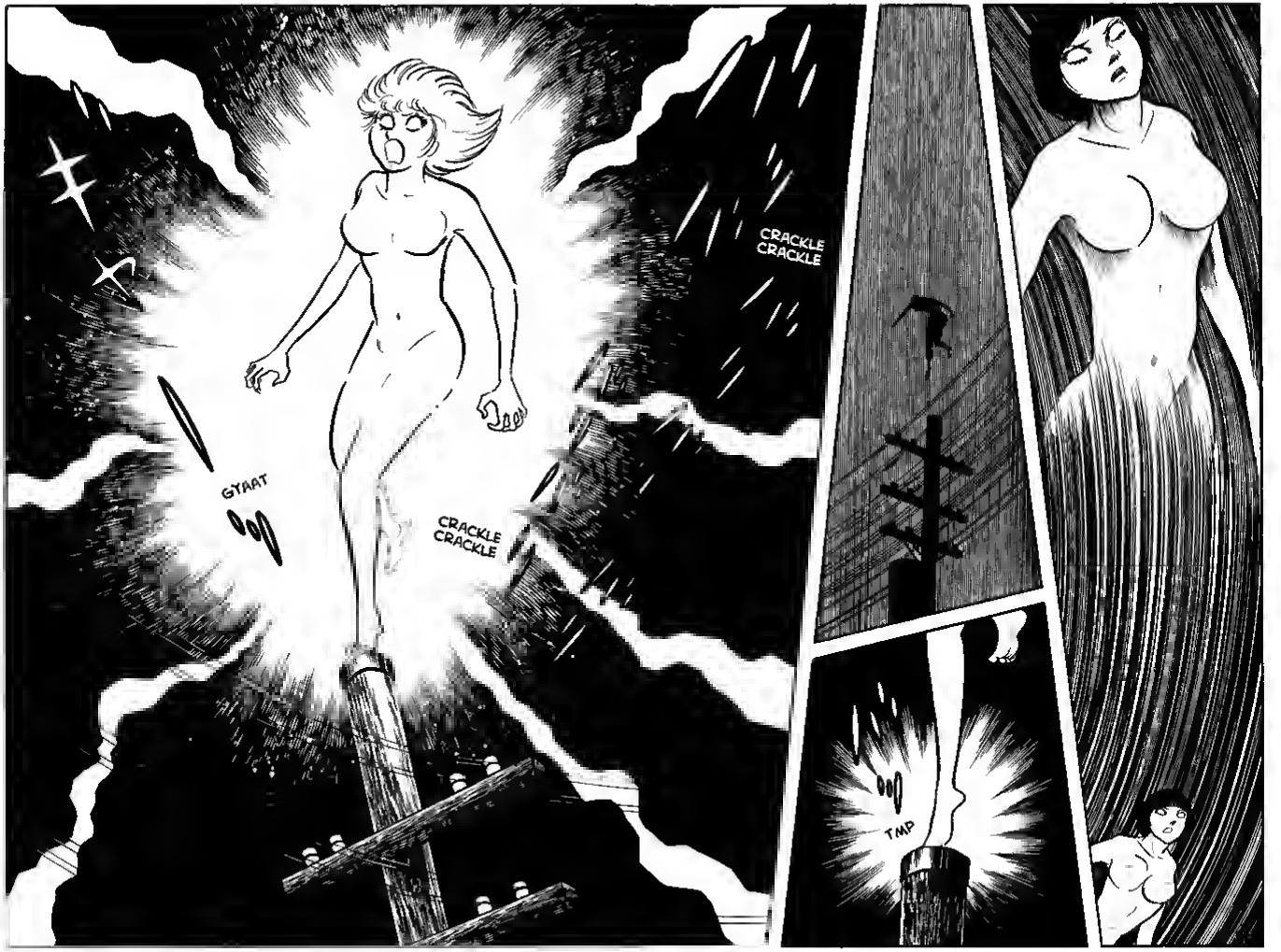
WSSH
OH!
SHAK
D-DAMN IT! YOU'RE STILL ALIVE?!
MU
KU
RI
"YOUR PHYSICAL INJURIES WILL HEAL EASILY."
"YOUR CELLS REGENE-RATE BY TELE-KINESIS."
UH... AH!


THWOK
SHAK


SEN-SEI ...
HM!
KO-MAKI SENSEI ...
NO... YOU WITCH OF BANBA!
YOU TOOK MIYO, WHO KNEW NOTHING, AND MANIPULATED HER...IT'S UNFORGIVABLE!
NOT AFTER WHAT YOU'VE DONE!
YOU'RE NOT GETTING AWAY!

HO!
HM
HO HO HO HO!
YOU WANTED TO CONFUSE ME SO I WOULDN'T FIGURE OUT WHAT YOU WERE UP TO!
YOU WERE TRYING TO DISTRACT ME!
SO THAT'S WHY YOU APPEARED NAKED...
BUT THAT TRICK WON'T WORK AGAIN
HEH HEH


ZA
HEH HEH... BUT YOU DID FLINCH FOR A SECOND. DIDN'T YOU?!
ZAAA
AND IN THAT SECOND... YOU'RE DEAD!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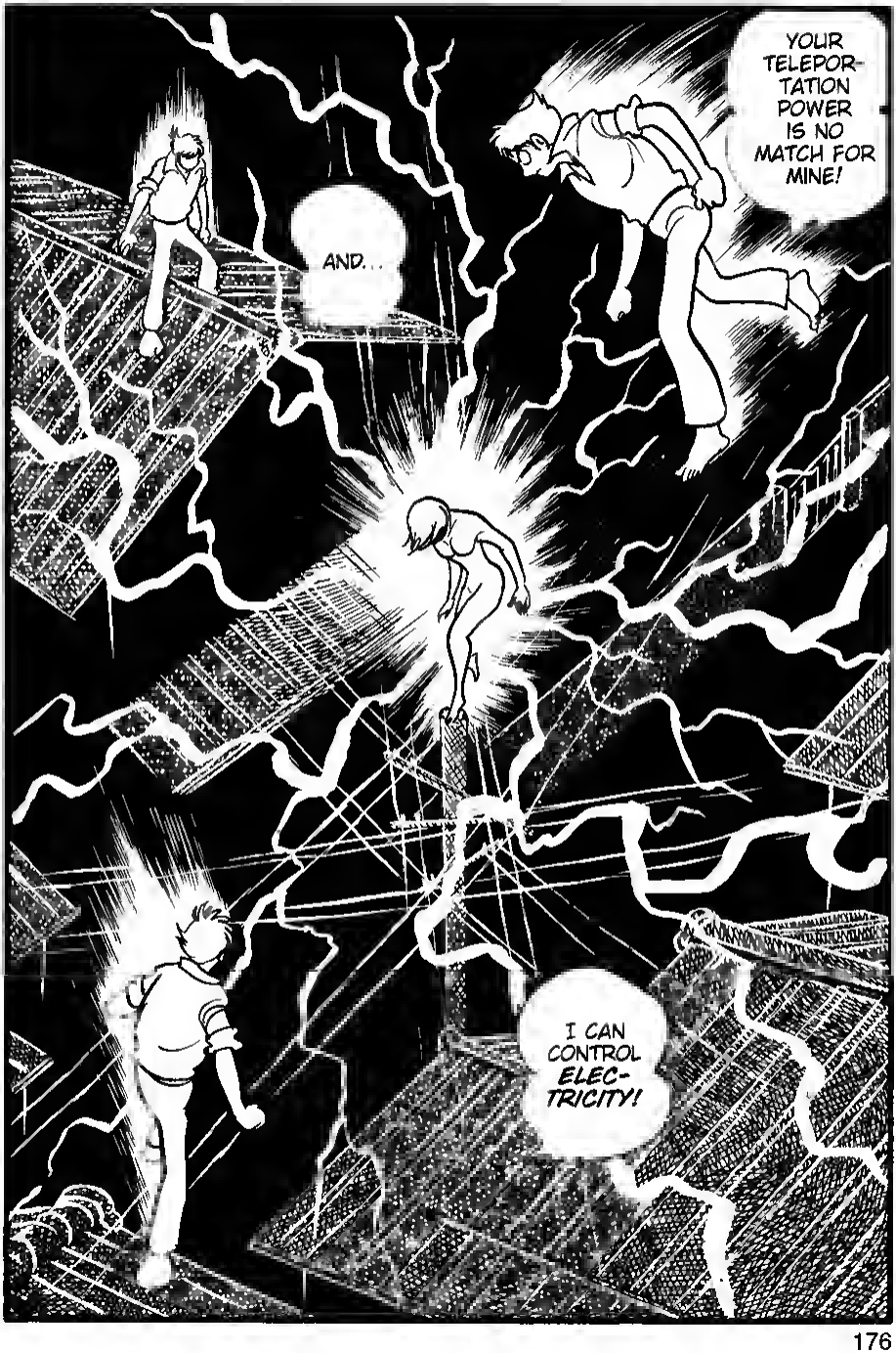
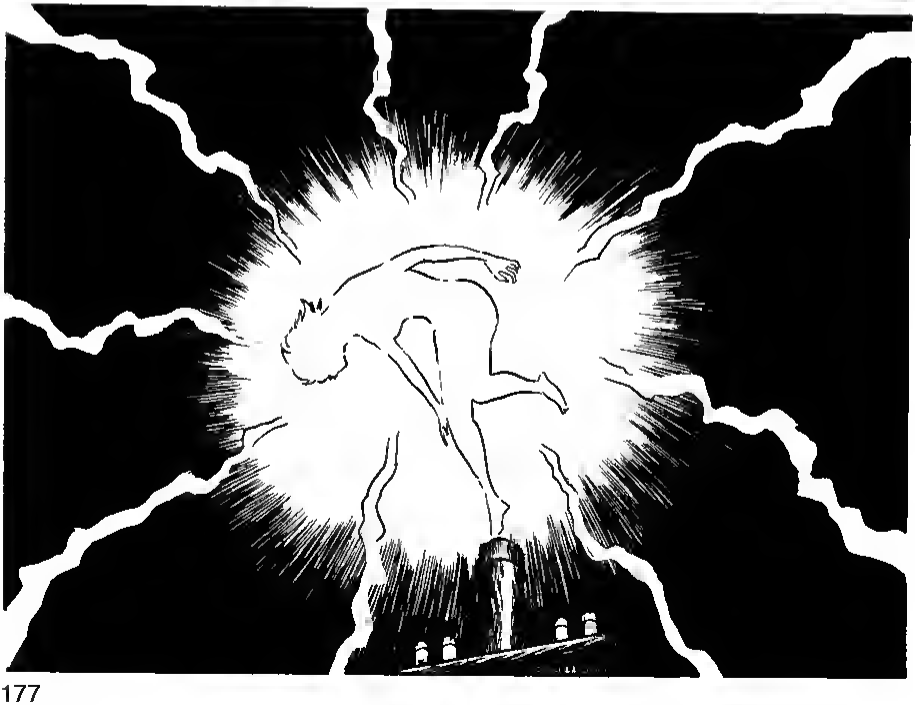
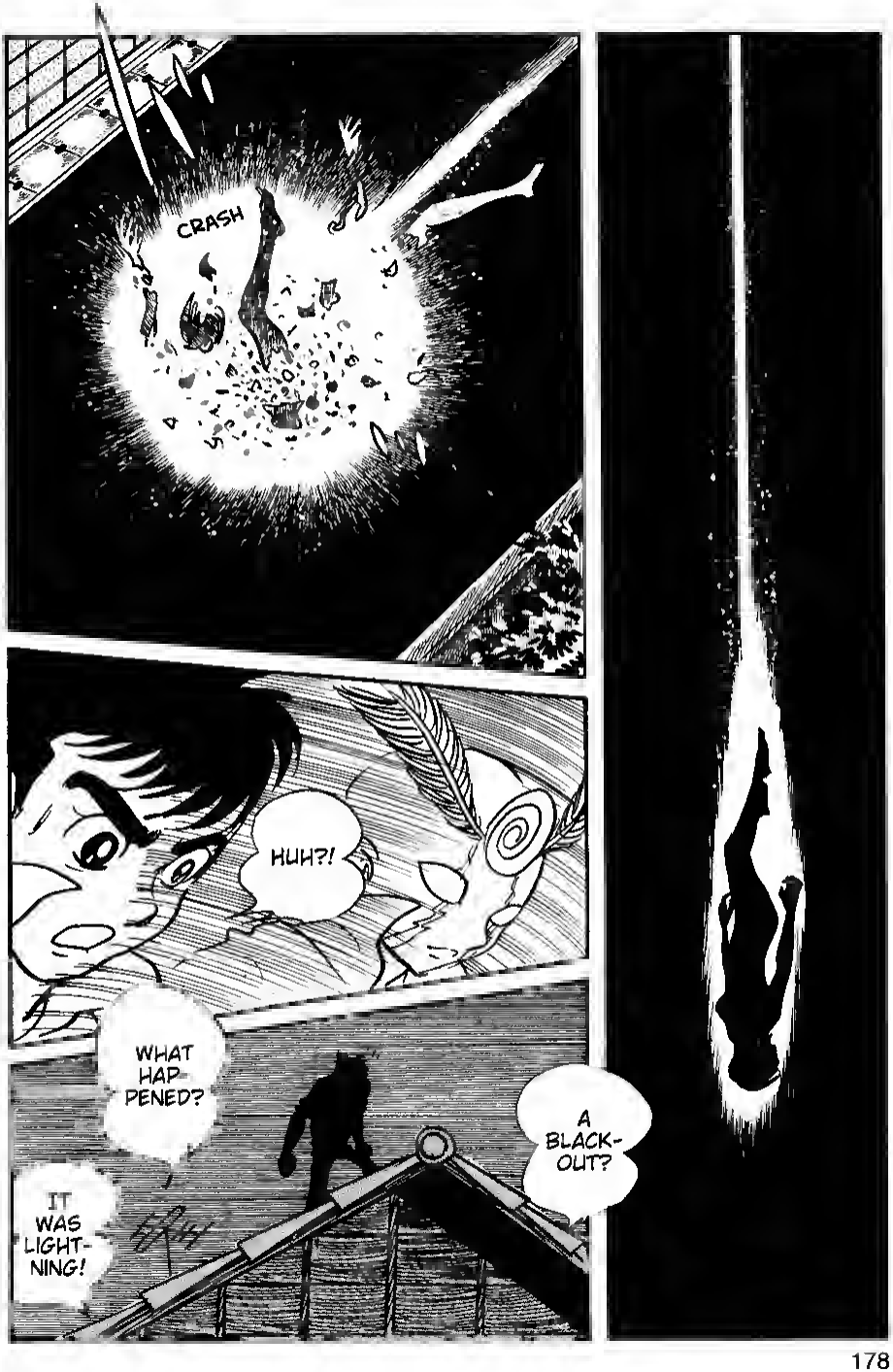
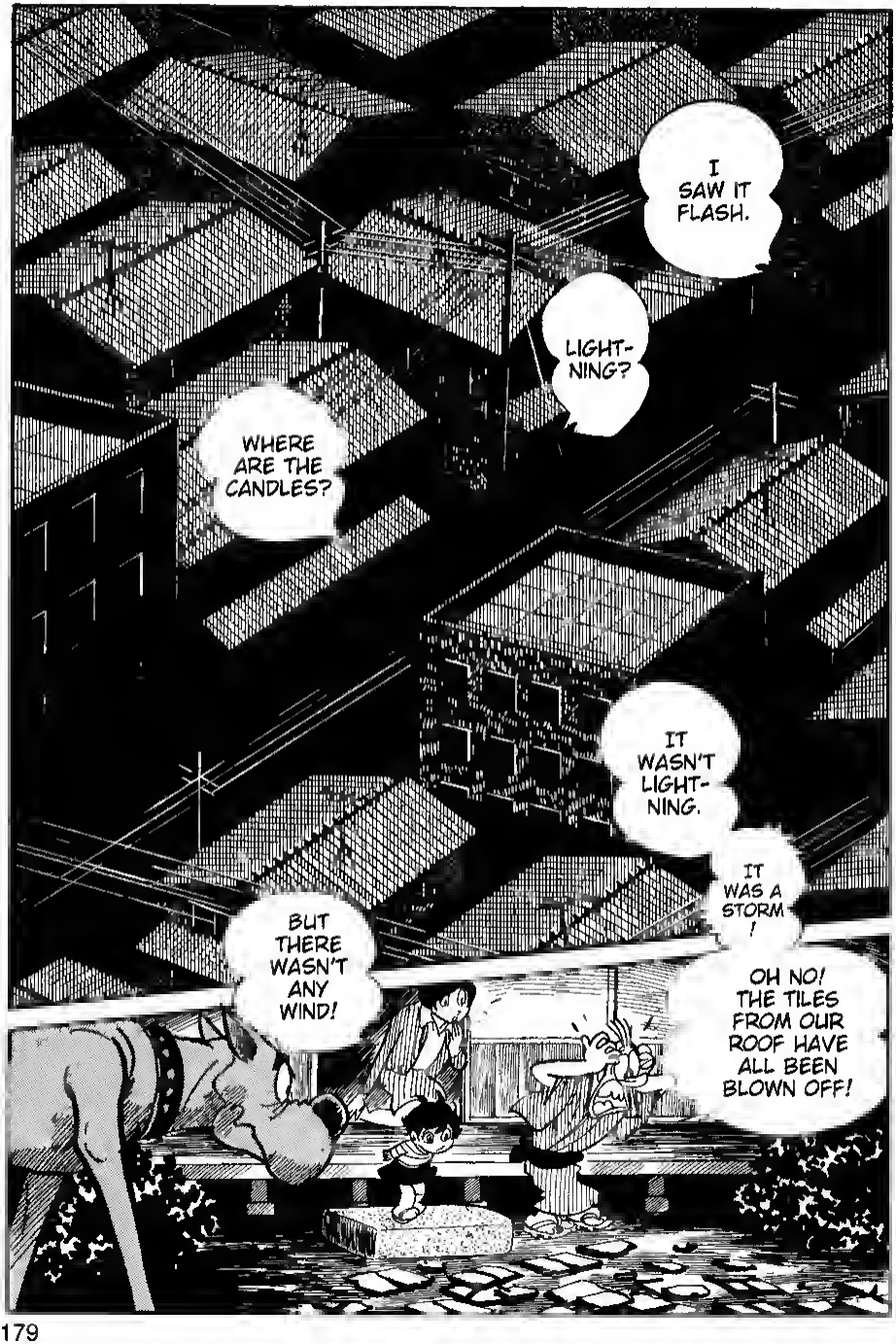
CRACKLE
GYAAT
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
TMP


YOUR TELEPORTATION POWER IS NO MATCH FOR MINE!
AND...
I CAN CONTROL *ELECTRICITY!*

MY NAME MEANS LIGHTNING... INAZUMAN!

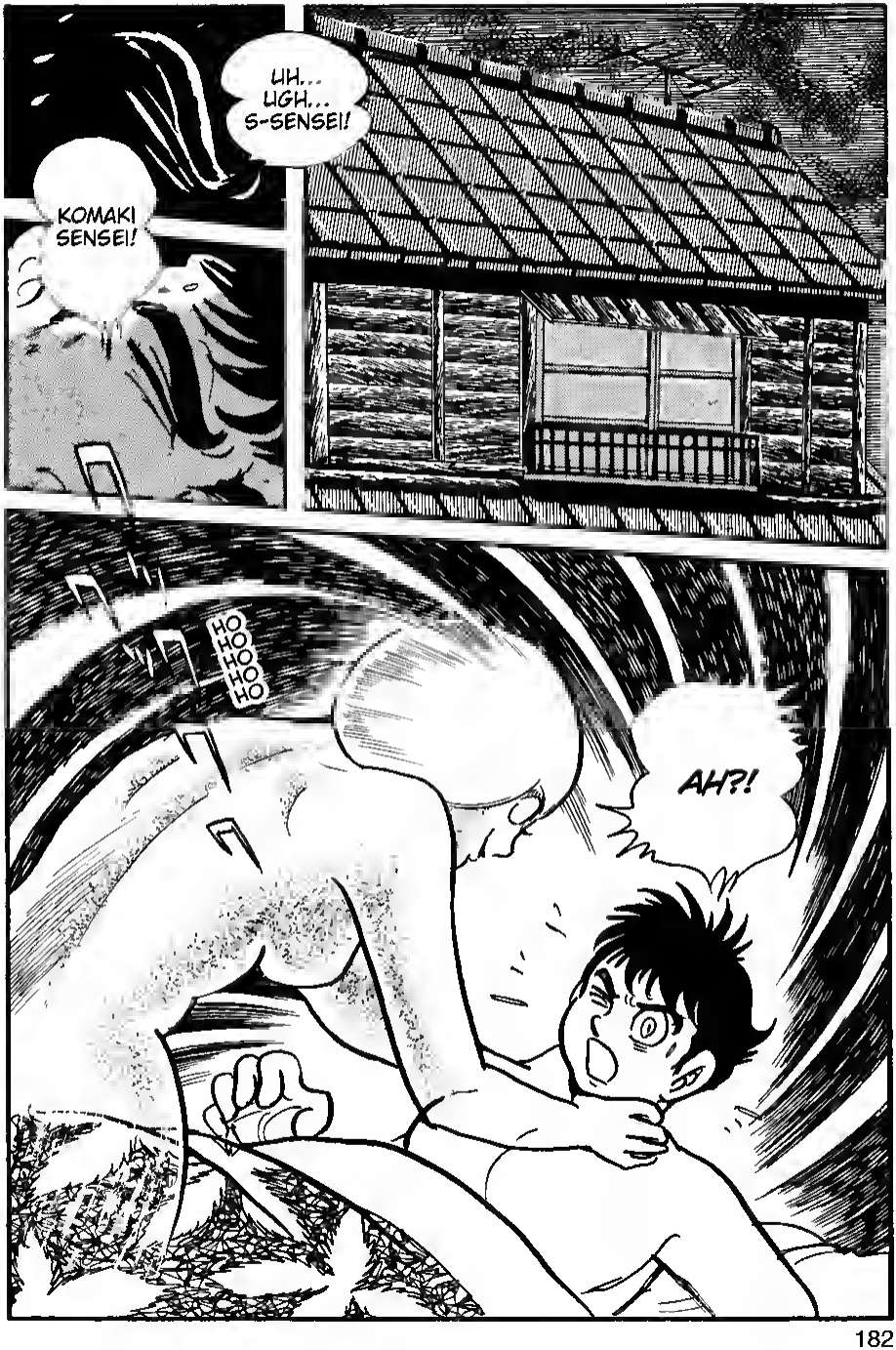



CRASH
HUH?!
WHAT HAP-PENED?
IT WAS LIGHT-NING!
A BLACK-OUT?


I SAW IT FLASH.
LIGHT-NING?
WHERE ARE THE CANDLES?
IT WASN'T LIGHT-NING.
IT WAS A STORM!
BUT THERE WASN'T ANY WIND!
OH NO! THE TILES FROM OUR ROOF HAVE ALL BEEN BLOWN OFF!

MIYO!
UH ...
AH?!
TRY TO BE MORE CAREFUL, SABURO!
I COULDN'T HELP IT!
SORRY, HACHIRO!
SLAP
IT'S ALL RIGHT. JUST A POWER OUTAGE.
PER-VERT!
POWER OUTAGE?
IT'S DARK!
WHAT WERE YOU DOING?
PER-VERT!

...
YOU ROTTEN PERVERT!
YOU WERE USING THE DARKNESS TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ME, WEREN'T YOU?
IT MUST BE BECAUSE KOMAKI SENSEI SCRAMBLED HER BRAINS WITH HYPNOTISM.
IT LOOKS LIKE MIYO DOESN'T REMEMBER A THING.
WELL, THAT'S GOOD.
I KILLED HER!
TH-THIS TIME FOR SURE... SENSEI...
KO-MAKI ...
...SEN-SEI!


UH... UGH... S-SENSEI!
KOMAKI SENSEI!
HO HO HO HO HO
AH?!

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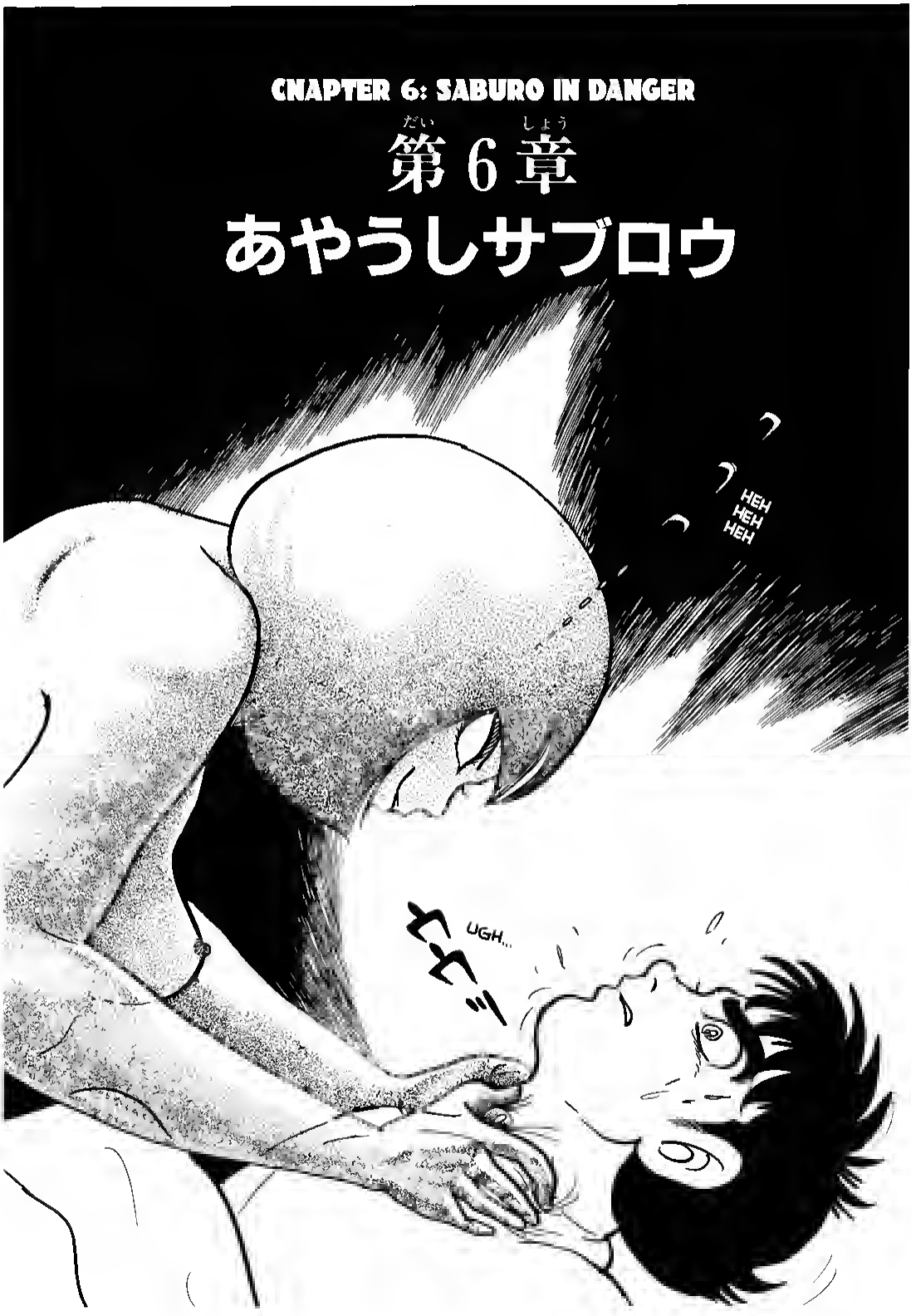
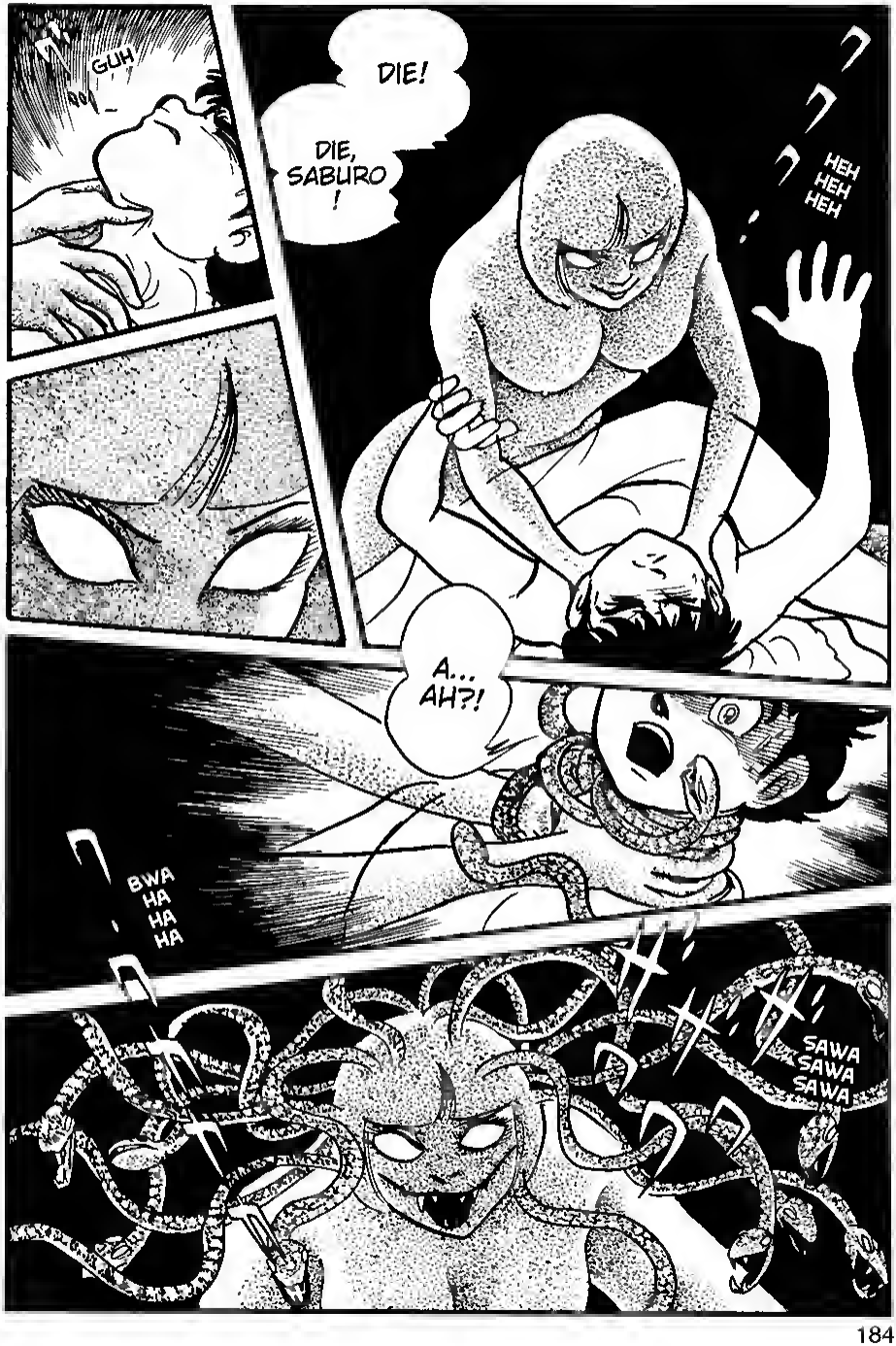
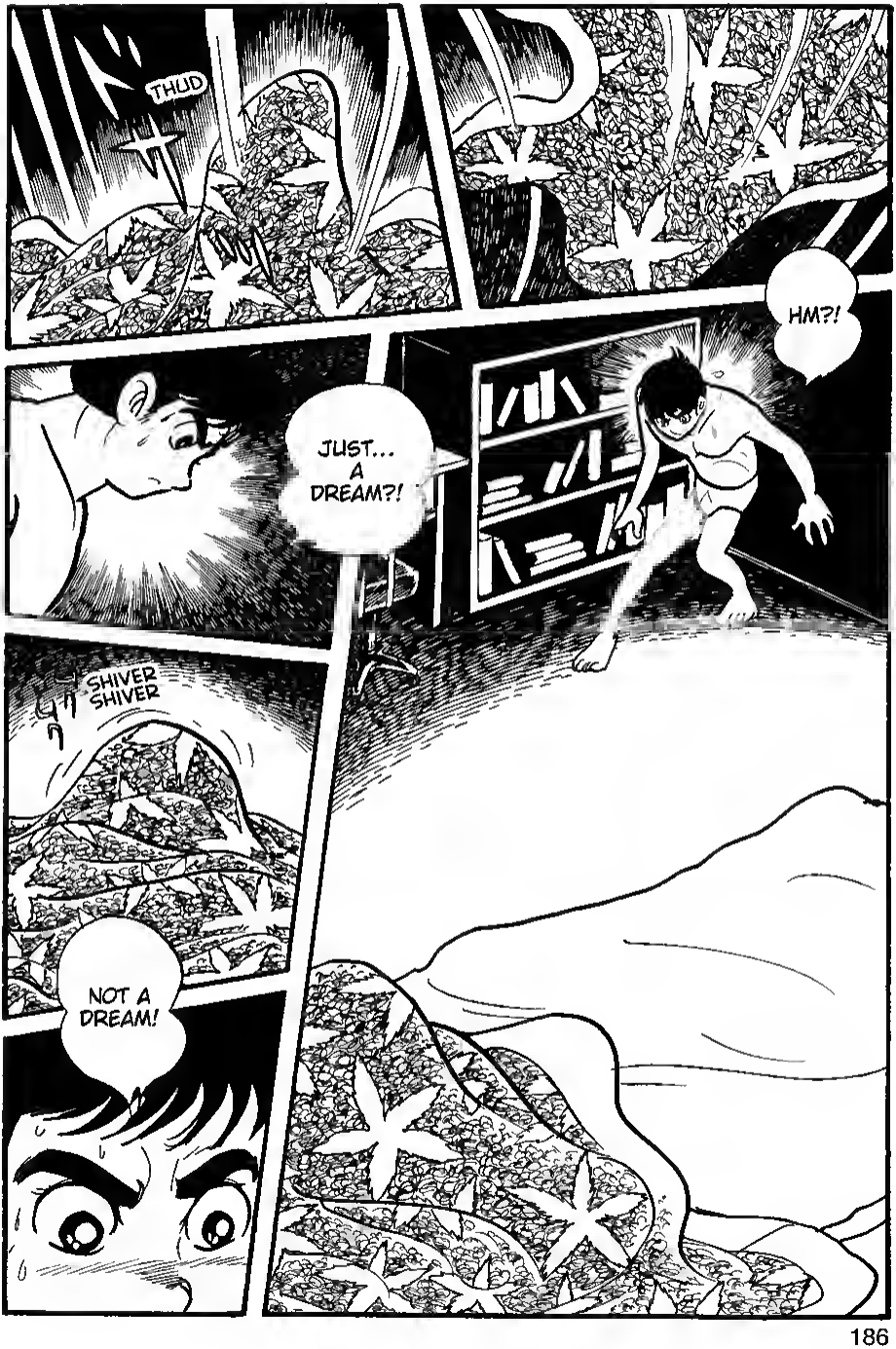



GUH
DIE!
DIE, SABURO!
HEH HEH HEH
A... AH?!
BWA HA HA HA
SAWA SAWA SAWA

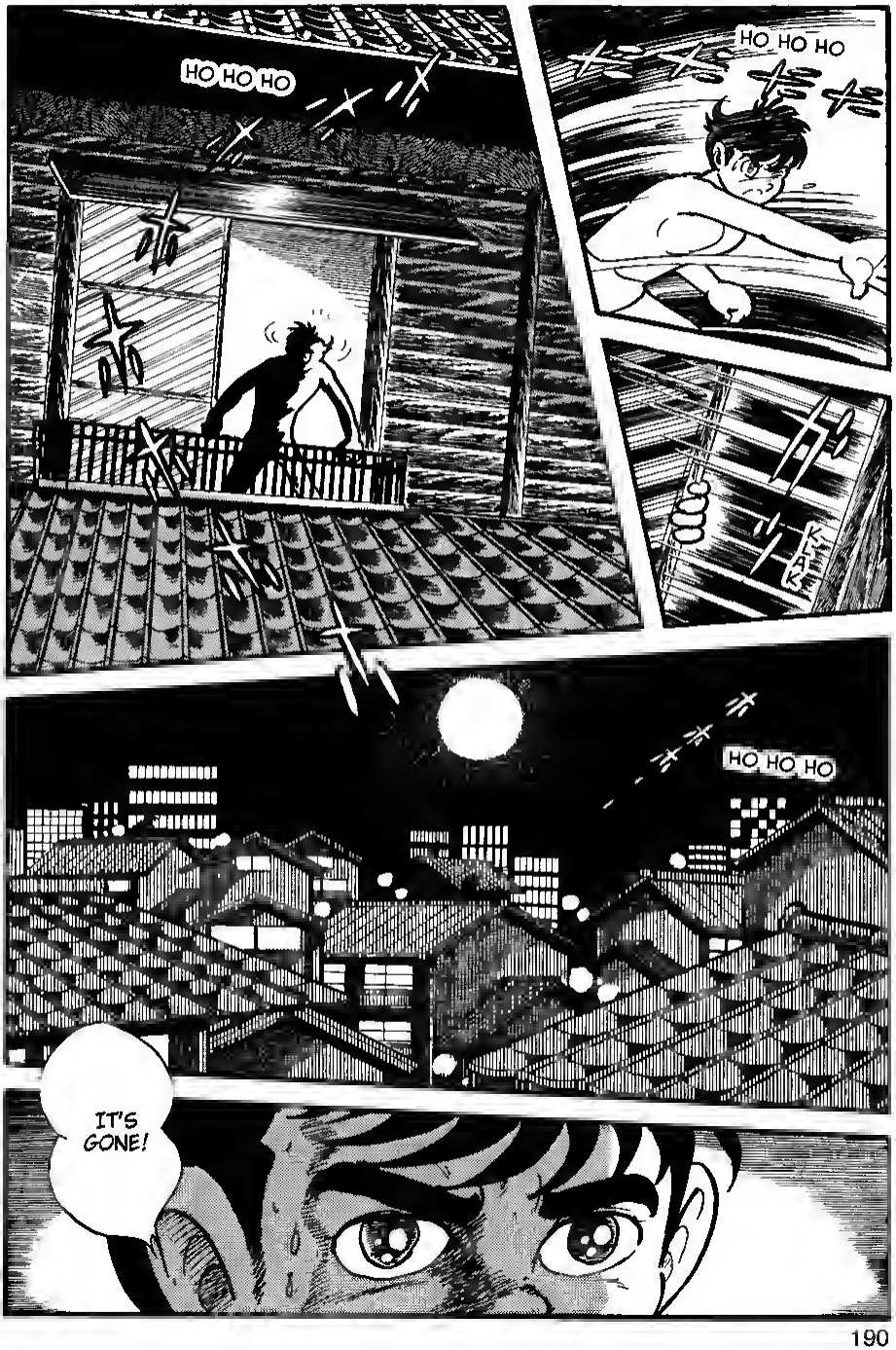
MO... MON-STER !!
WHUMP


THUD
HM?!
JUST... A DREAM?!
SHIVER SHIVER
NOT A DREAM!

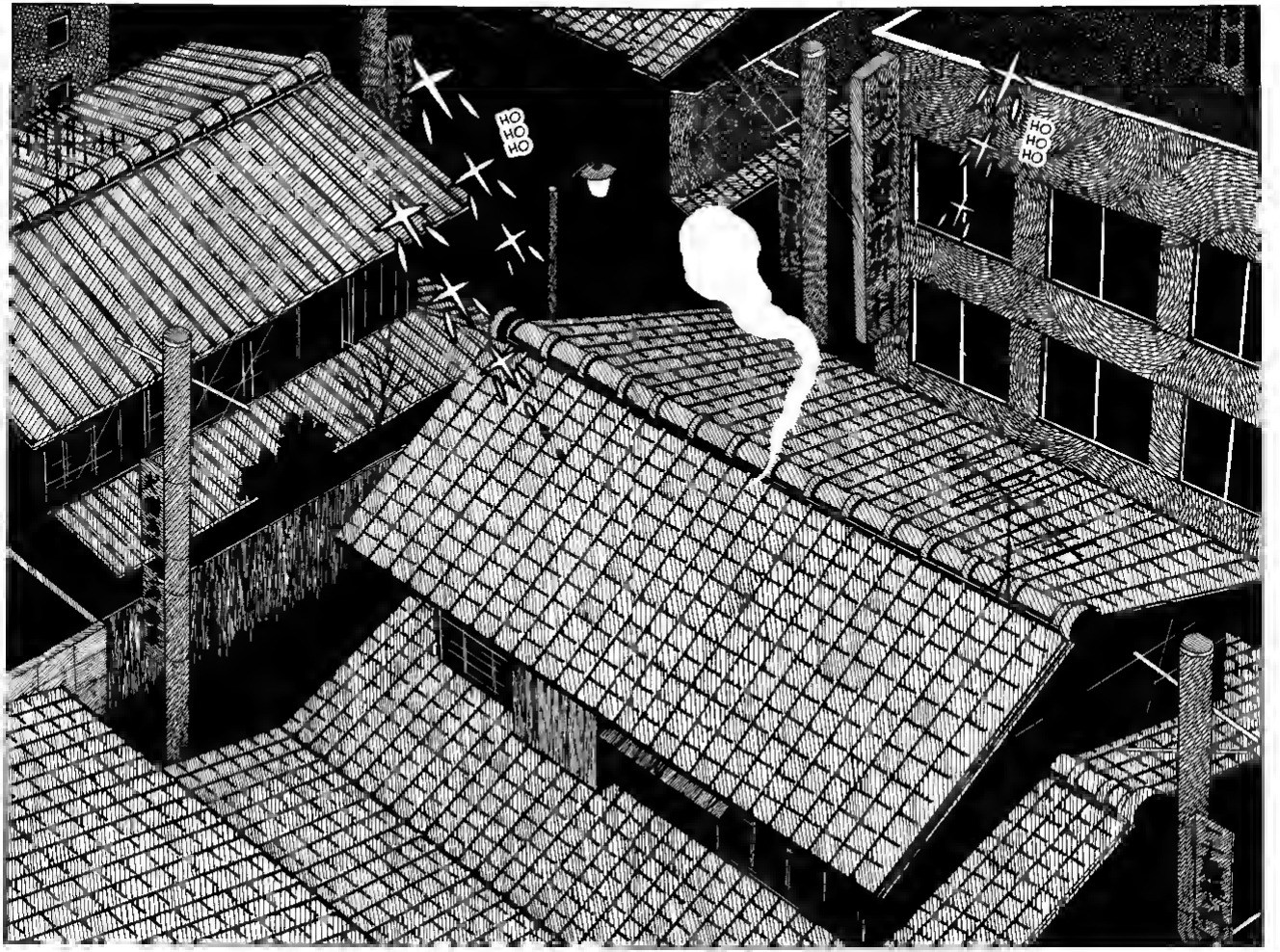
FWAP
GRAB
HUH ?!
D-DAD?! WHA... WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?!
UUH...
D-DAD ...
UH UG
KILL... KILL... KILL!

D-DAD?!
OH... THAT'S IT! DAD IS...
WHUMP
KILL... YOU... KILL...
DAD! WAKE UP!
SQUEEZE
SLUMP
YOU'RE BEING MANIPU-LATED, DAD!
OWW!

HEH HEH HEH
HO HO HO
HO HO HO
WHAT THE ...?!
WAS THAT KOMAKI SENSEI'S ...
... GHOST ?!


HO HO HO
HO HO HO
KTAK
HO HO HO
IT'S GONE!

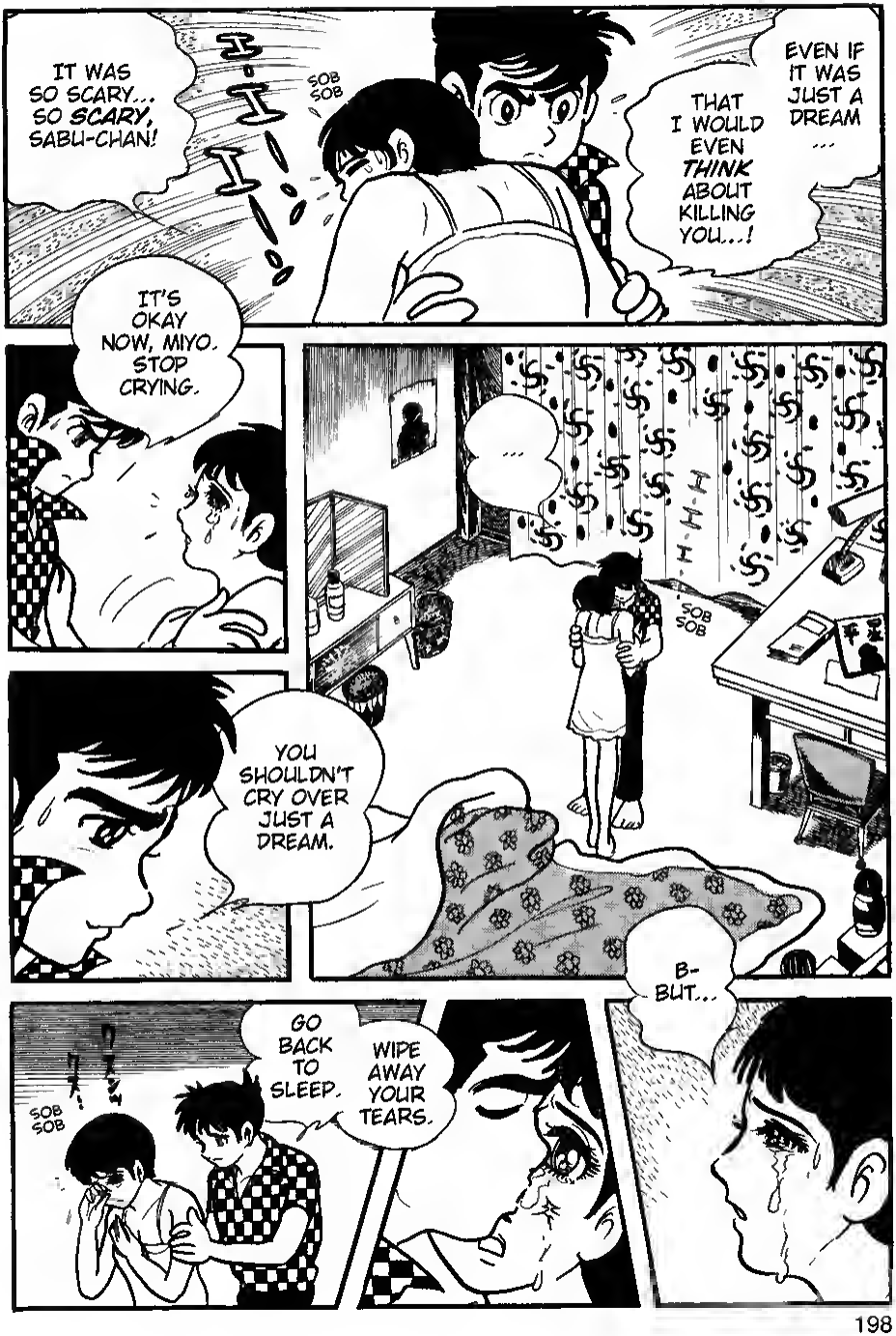
...AND USED HYPNO-TISM...
KOMAKI'S STILL ALIVE...
OR MAYBE ...
SO KOMAKI SENSEI'S GHOST HAD POSSESSED DAD?
...TO CONTROL DAD.
ZZZ ZZZ
EITHER WAY, I KNOW ONE THING.
MY ENEMIES WILL DO ANYTHING TO WIN.
THEY'RE A BUNCH OF CRUEL, HEARTLESS DEMONS!
ZZZ ZZZ
...AND I'LL BE KILLED!
SLIP UP FOR ONE MOMENT...


HO
HO
HO
HO
HO
HO

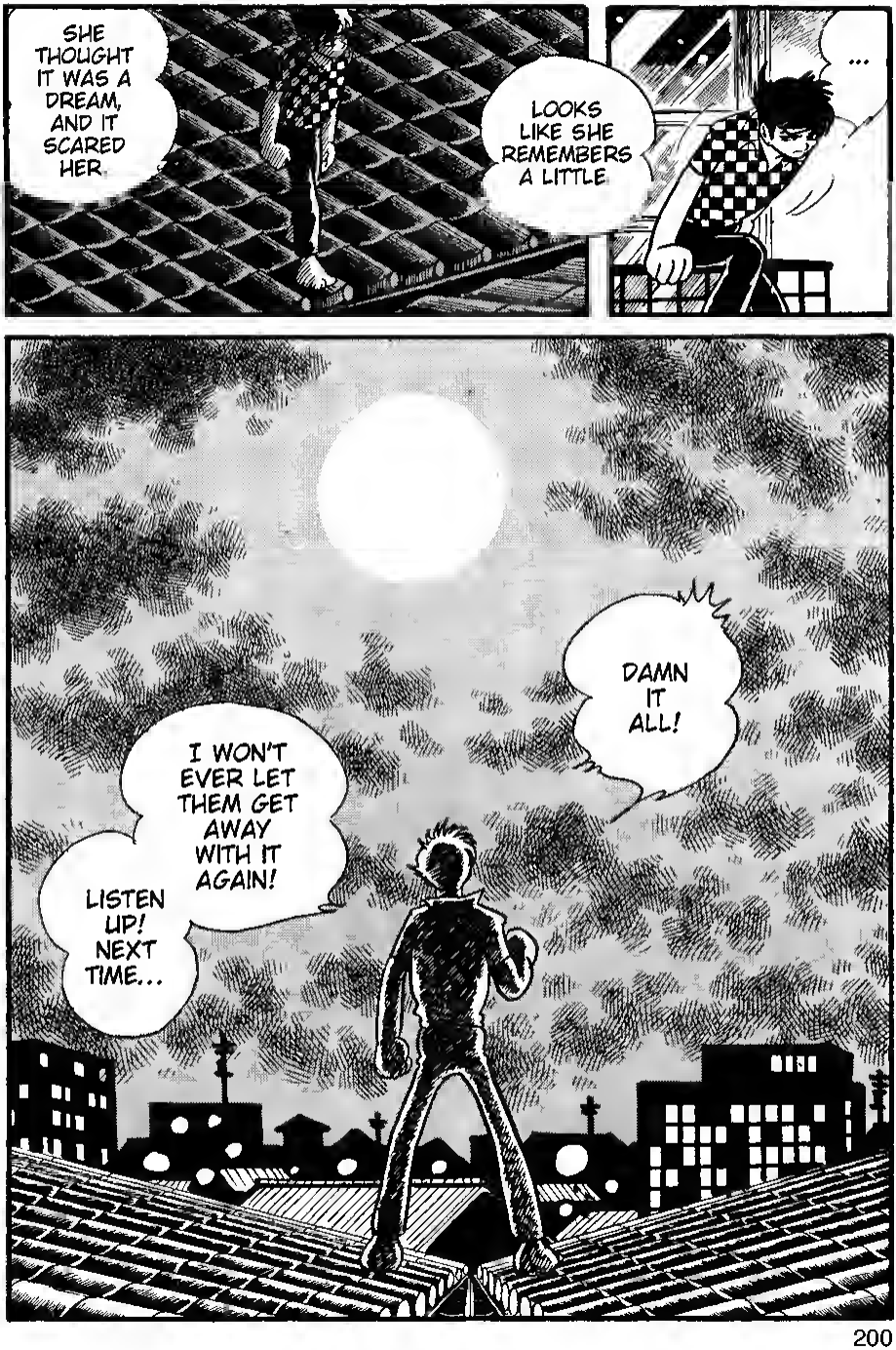
I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE IT!
THEY'LL EVEN USE INNOCENT PEOPLE LIKE DAD AND MIYO!
MIYO!
IS MIYO OKAY?!
TELEPOR-TATION...

SHE'S SLEEPING WELL.
LOOKS LIKE SHE'S OKAY.
!!
IT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN HER SLEEPING... SHE LOOKS PRETTY CUTE.
GOOD NIGHT, MIYO.
AAH
KISS...

SA... SABU-CHAN?!
SHE'S GONNA SLAP ME AGAIN!
OH... OH NO!
STARTLE
UH... YEAH ?
S-SABU-CHAN! THANK GOODNESS! I...I HAD A DREAM!
AN AWFUL DREAM!
A DREAM ?
WAH
!!
I JUST HAD THE SCARIEST DREAM EVER!
I WAS... I WAS TRYING TO KILL YOU, SABU-CHAN!


IT WAS SO SCARY... SO SCARY, SABU-CHAN!
SOB SOB
EVEN IF IT WAS JUST A DREAM ...
THAT I WOULD EVEN THINK ABOUT KILLING YOU...!
IT'S OKAY NOW, MIYO. STOP CRYING.
...
SOB SOB
YOU SHOULDN'T CRY OVER JUST A DREAM.
B-BUT...
GO BACK TO SLEEP.
WIPE AWAY YOUR TEARS.
SOB SOB

BY THE WAY, SABU-CHAN... WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN MY ROOM?
GAH
WELL, I...I JUST HAD AN INTUITION ...
GOT WORRIED ALL OF A SUDDEN.
HM?
KISS
ZAT
AH, FORGET ABOUT IT. GO TO SLEEP!
I LOVE YOU, SABU-CHAN!


SHE THOUGHT IT WAS A DREAM, AND IT SCARED HER.
LOOKS LIKE SHE REMEMBERS A LITTLE
...
DAMN IT ALL!
I WON'T EVER LET THEM GET AWAY WITH IT AGAIN!
LISTEN UP! NEXT TIME...

SO TODAY, STUDENTS, STUDY BY YOUR-SELVES.
WE GOT WORD THAT KOMAKI SENSEI ISN'T FEELING WELL. SHE'S TAKING THE DAY OFF.
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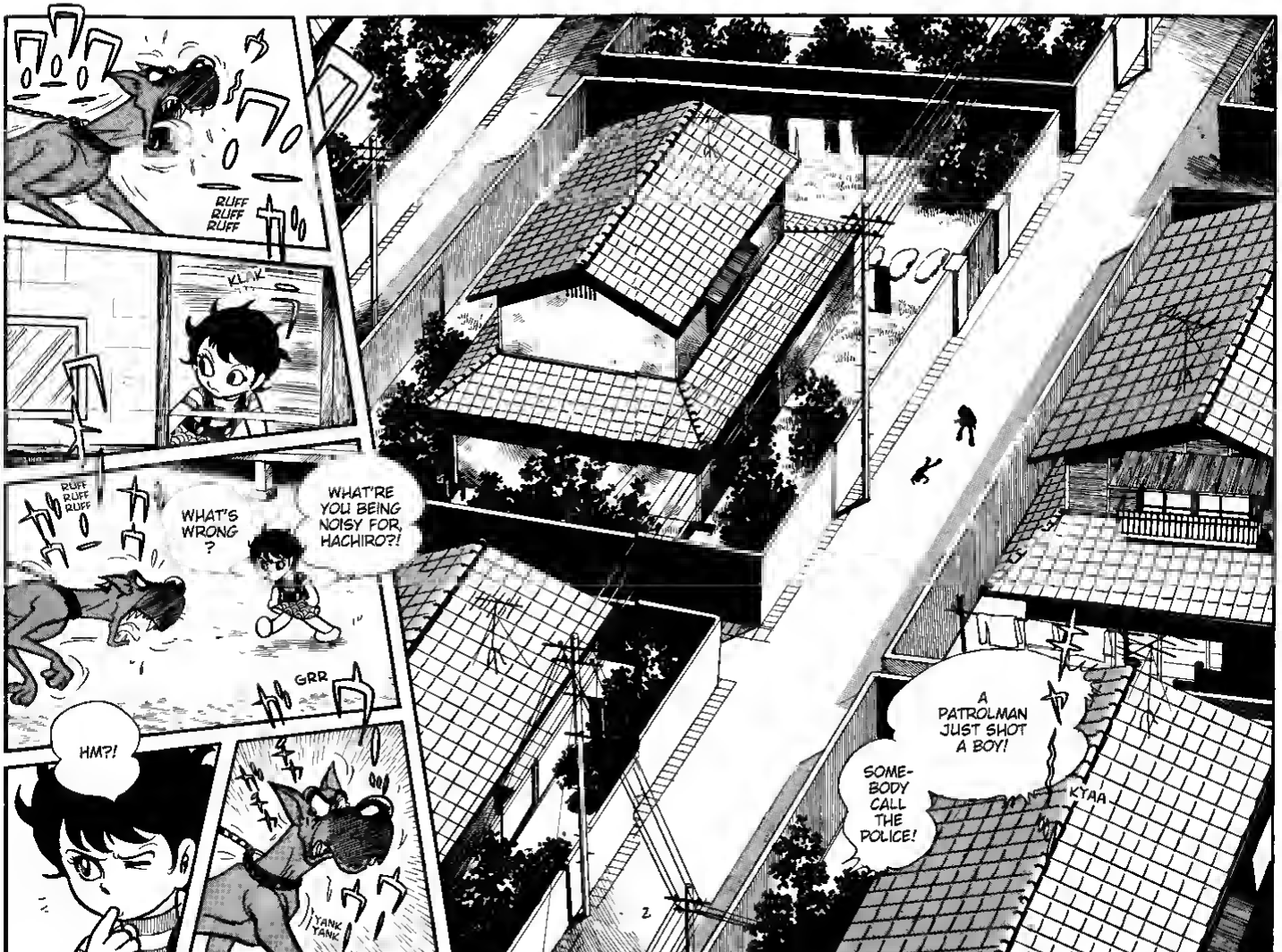
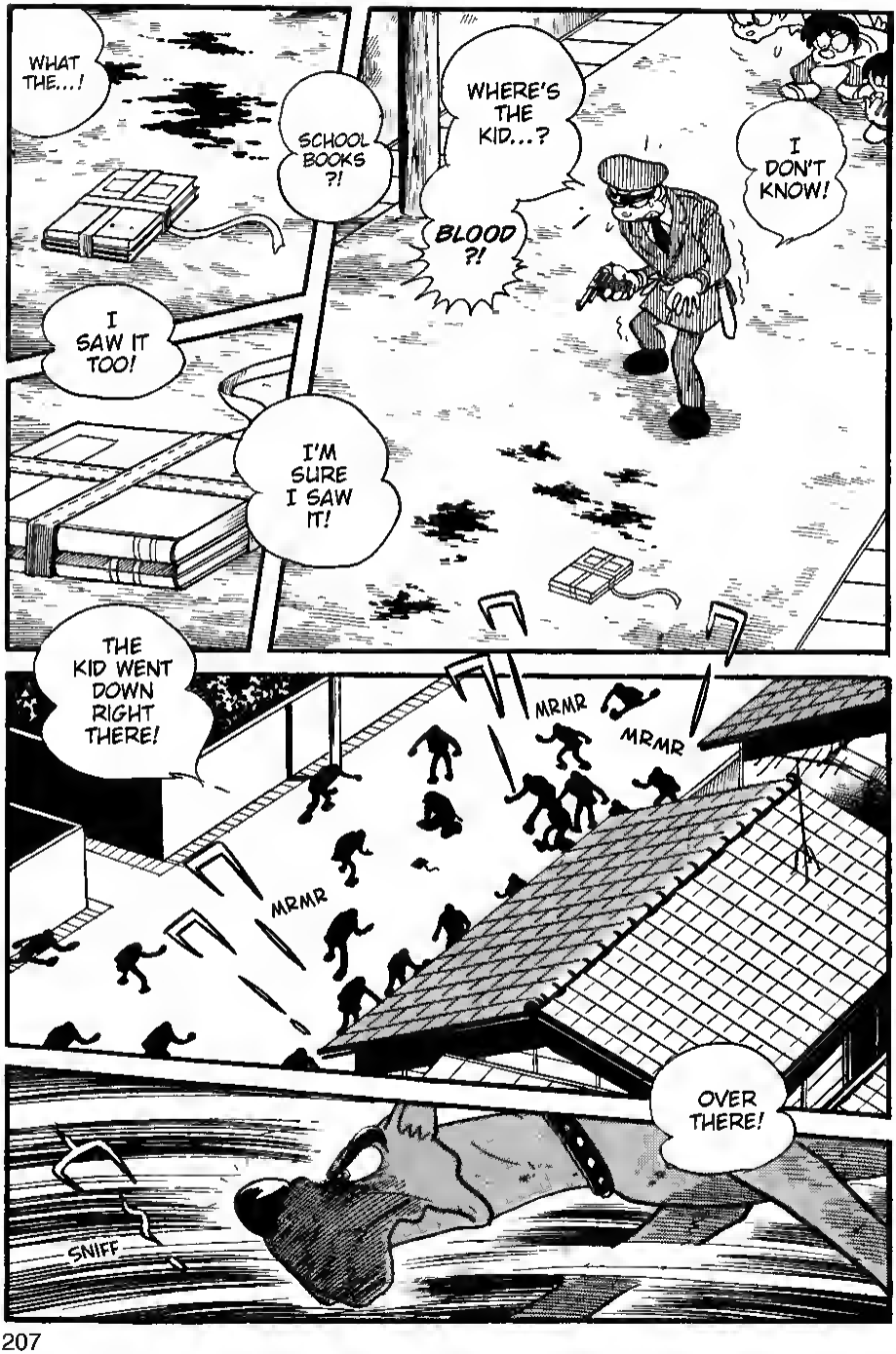
前編
THAT MEANS ...
"GOT WORD"?
Note Book
*ON MAP: KOMAKI
...KOMAKI SENSEI'S PLACE...

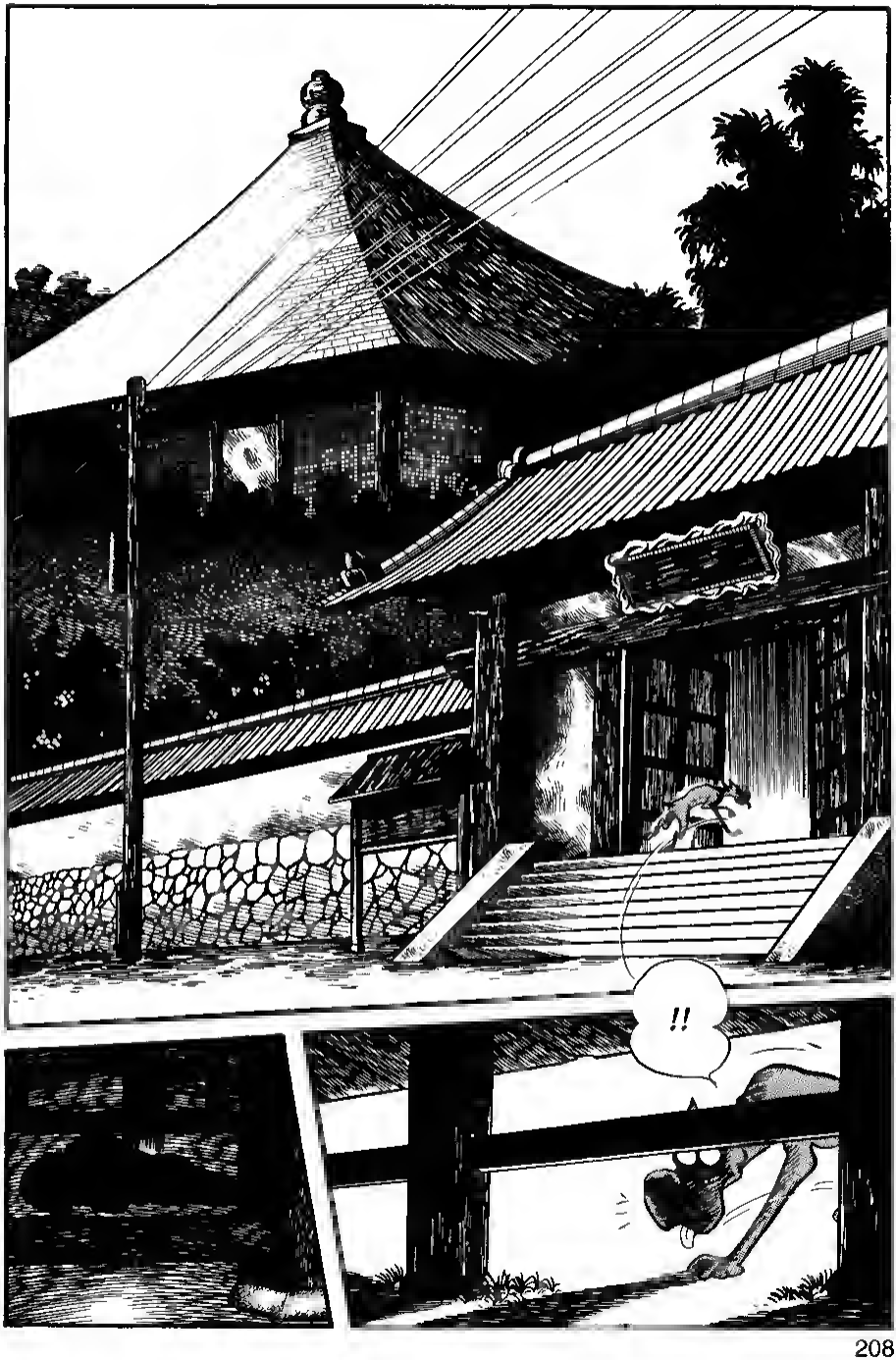
IT'S RIGHT AROUND HERE.
SO KOMAKI SENSEI IS STILL ALIVE.
BLAM BLAM BLAM

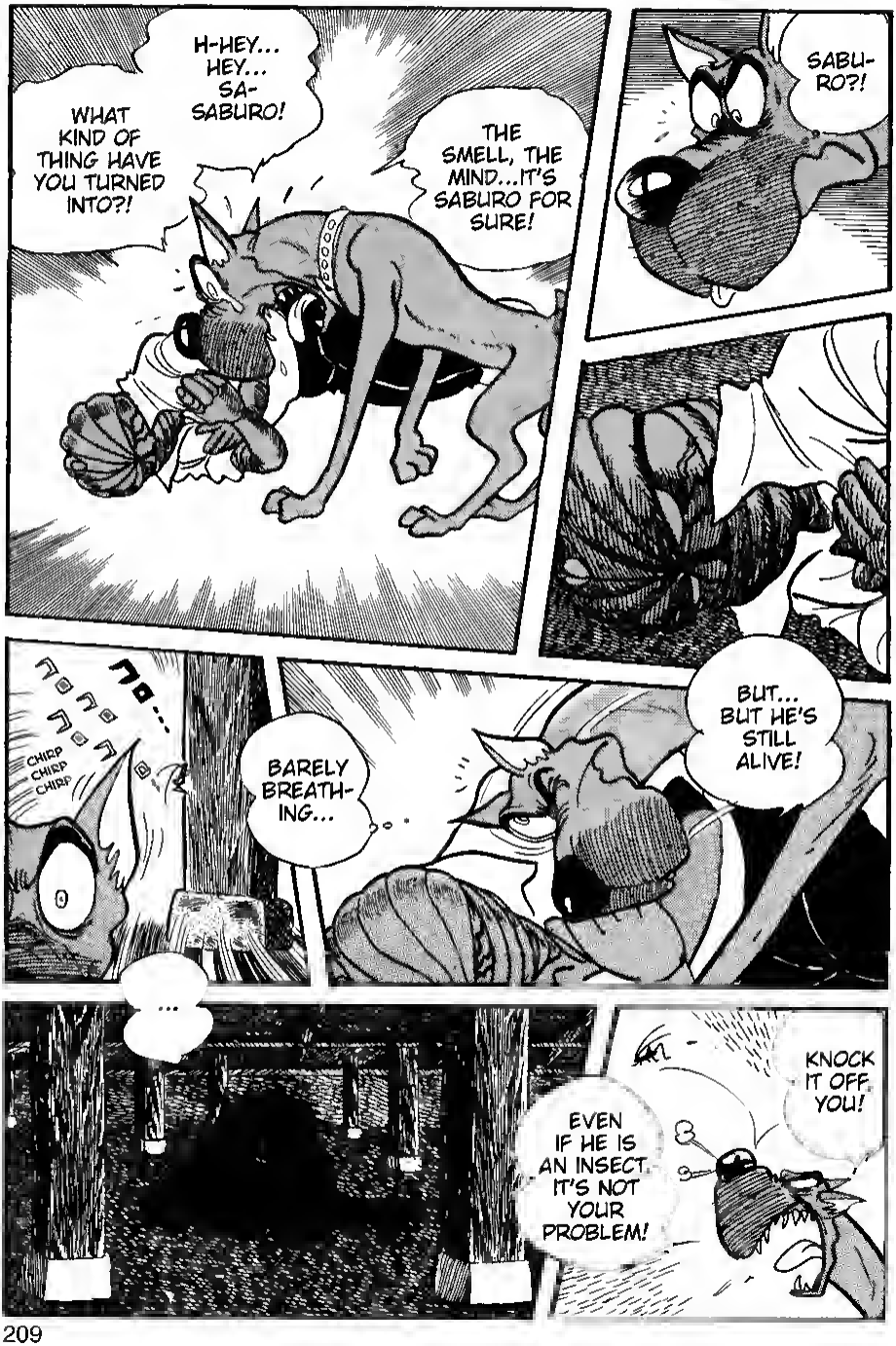
UGH...
MY... HEART...
THEY... GOT ME.


RUFF RUFF RUFF
KL...K
RUFF RUFF RUFF
WHAT'S WRONG ?
WHAT'RE YOU BEING NOISY FOR, HACHIRO?!
GRR
HM?!
YANK YANK
A PATROLMAN JUST SHOT A BOY!
KYAA
SOME-BODY CALL THE POLICE!

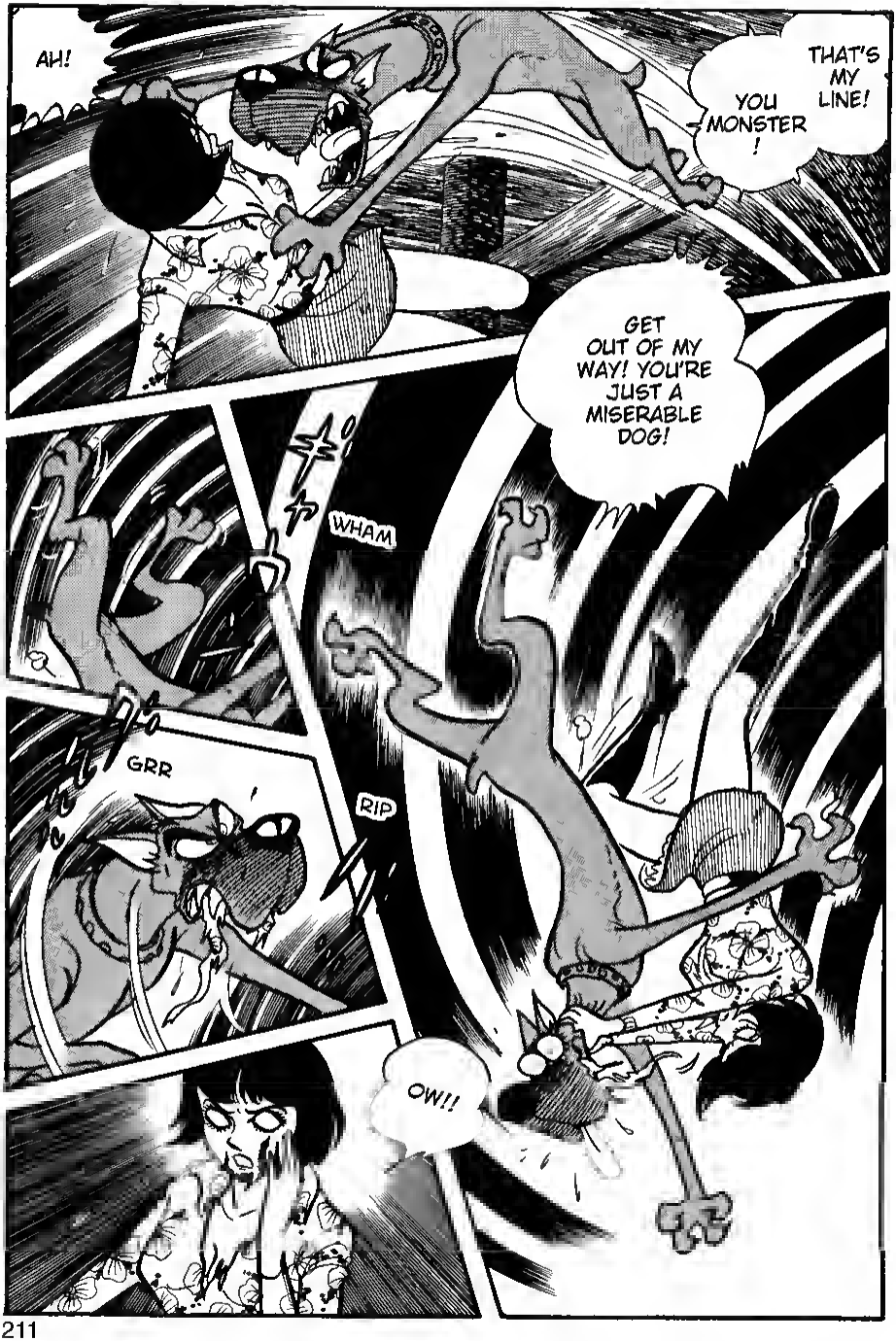
DASH
YOU WANT YOUR CHAIN OFF?
WOOF
SABURO'S BEEN HURT! OH NO!
MY PISTOL?
I SHOT A KID?
WHA... WHAT AM I DOING?
HUH?!
W-WHAT?!

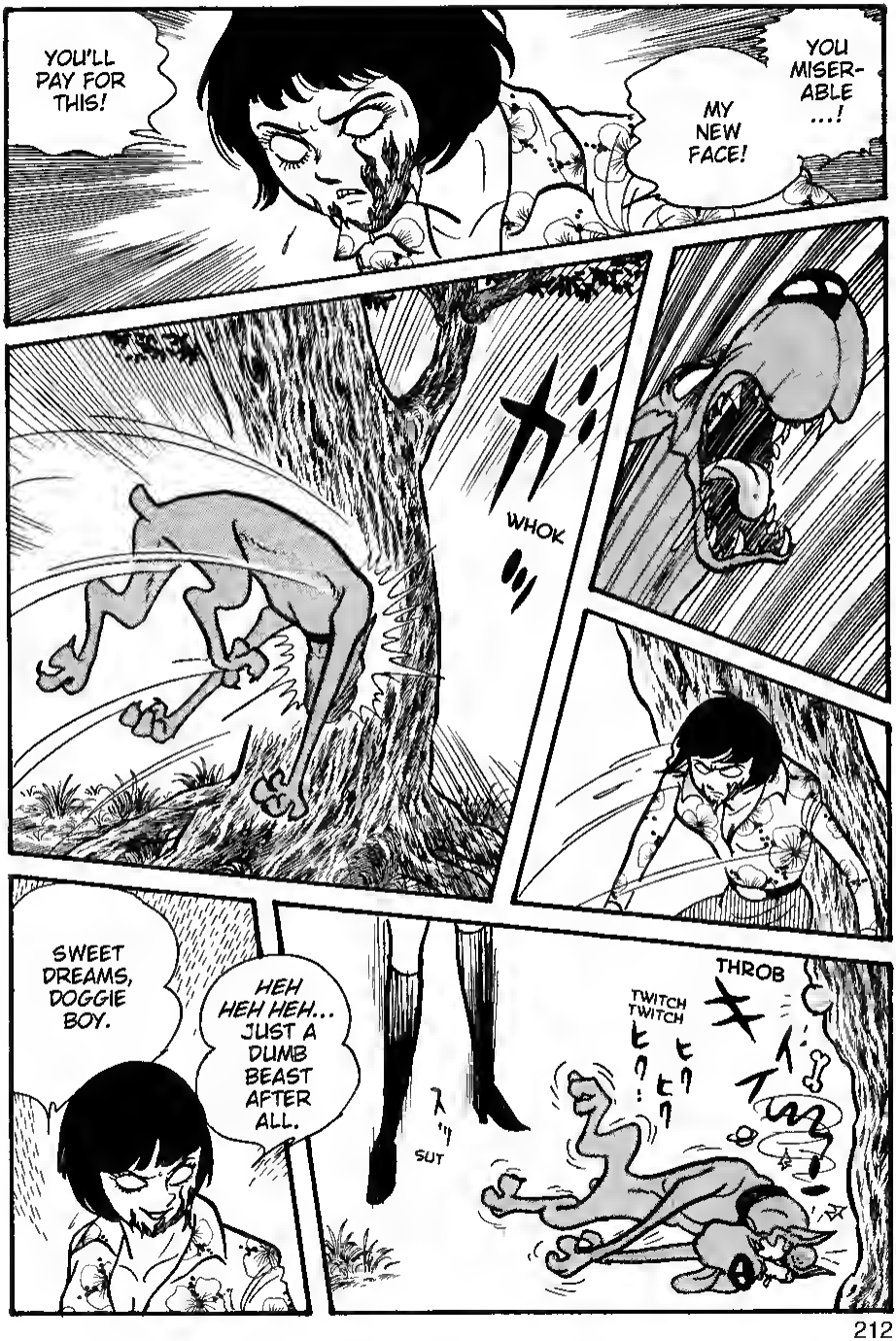

WHAT THE...!
SCHOOL BOOKS ?!
WHERE'S THE KID...?
BLOOD ?!
I DON'T KNOW!
I SAW IT TOO!
I'M SURE I SAW IT!
THE KID WENT DOWN RIGHT THERE!
MRMR
MRMR
MRMR
OVER THERE!
SNIFF



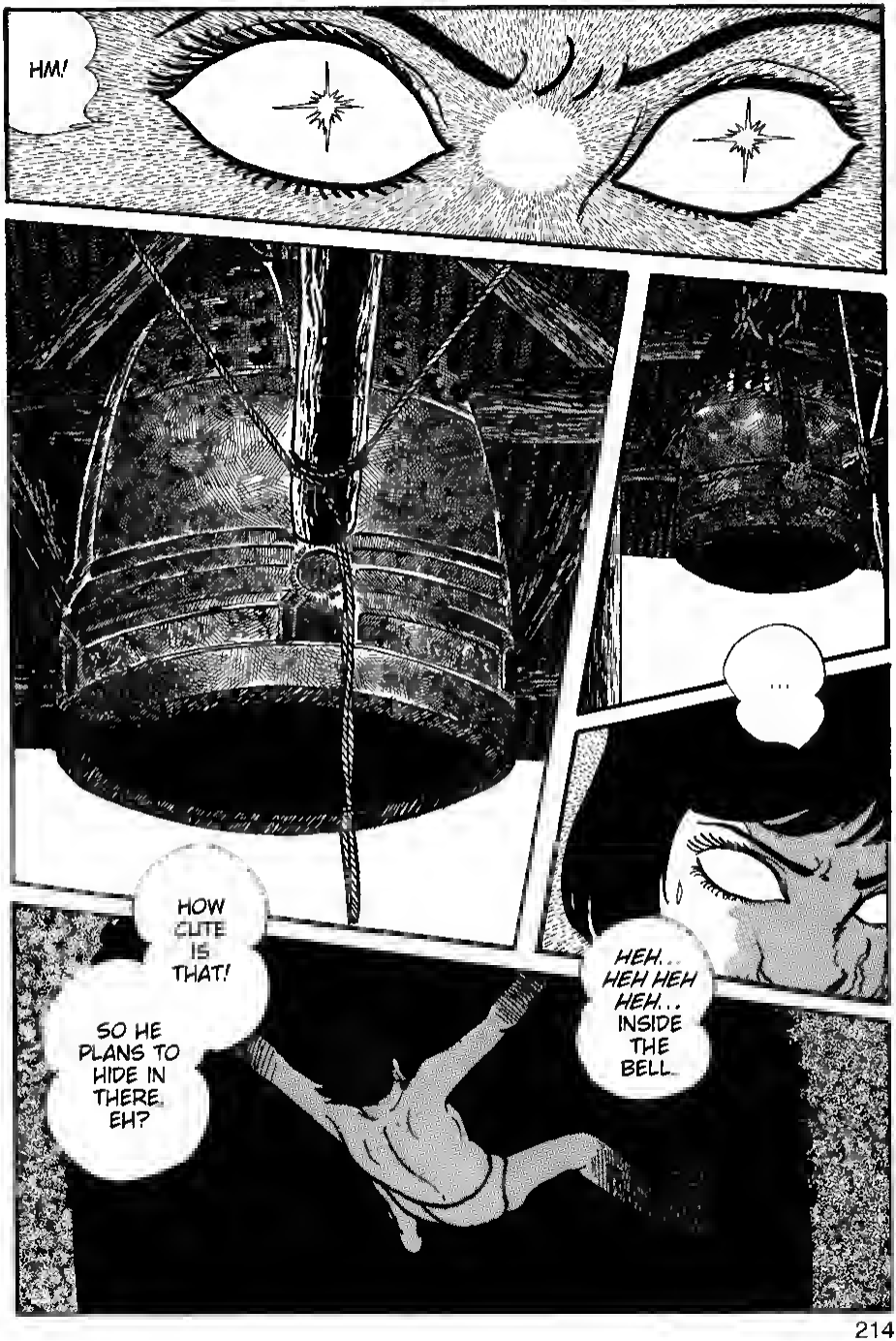

H-HEY... HEY... SA- SABURO!
WHAT KIND OF THING HAVE YOU TURNED INTO?!
THE SMELL, THE MIND...IT'S SABURO FOR SURE!
SABU- RO?!
BUT... BUT HE'S STILL ALIVE!
BARELY BREATH- ING...
CHIRP CHIRP CHIRP
...
KNOCK IT OFF, YOU!
EVEN IF HE IS AN INSECT, IT'S NOT YOUR PROBLEM!

GRR
GLINT
HM... THERE YOU ARE, SABURO.
YOU'VE PROBABLY GONE INTO CHRYSALIS FORM TO HEAL YOUR WOUNDS...
BUT I WON'T LET YOU!
GROWL


AH!
YOU MONSTER!
THAT'S MY LINE!
GET OUT OF MY WAY! YOU'RE JUST A MISERABLE DOG!
WHAM
GRR
RIP
OW!!

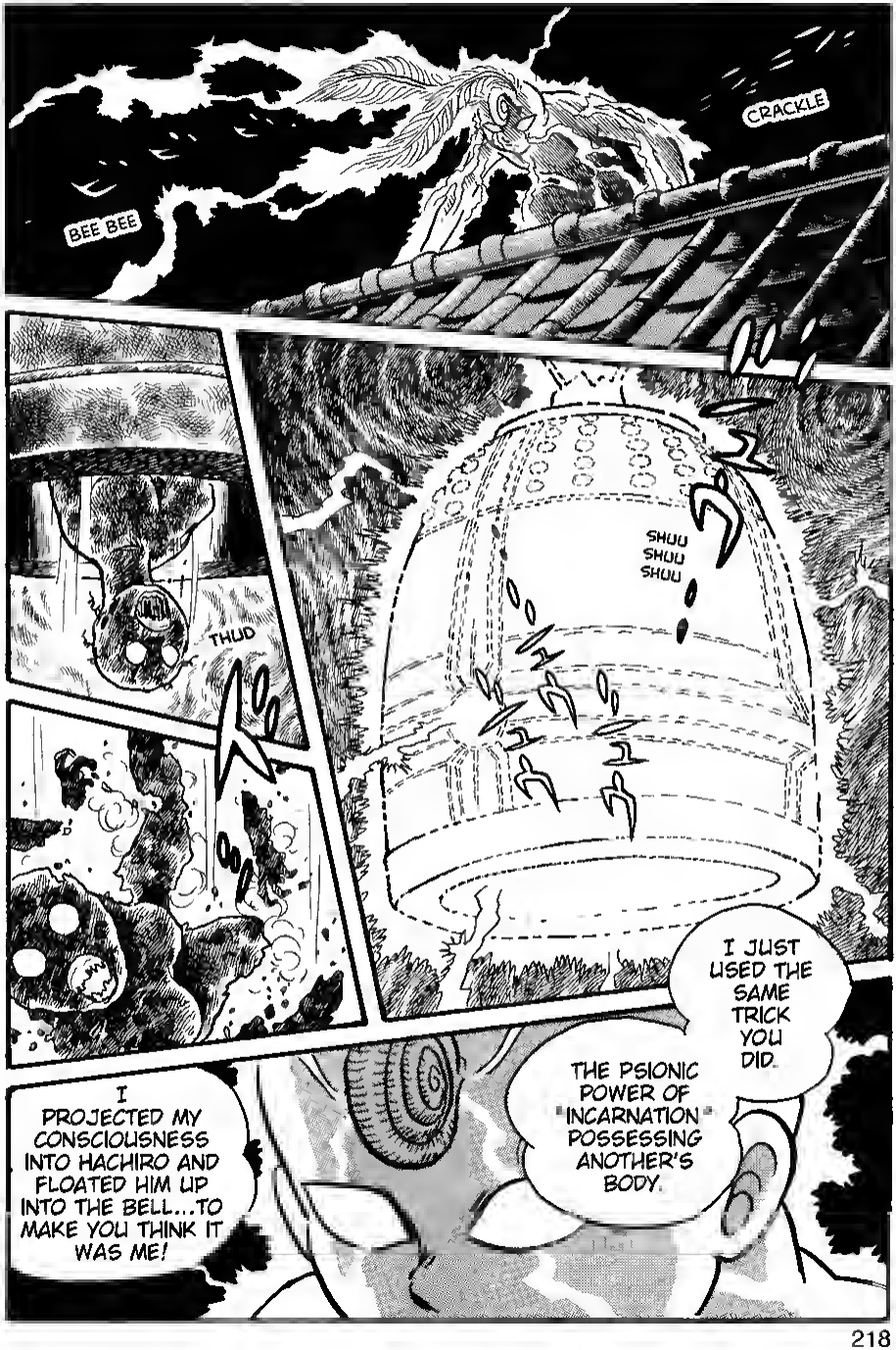

YOU'LL PAY FOR THIS!
YOU MISER-ABLE ...!
MY NEW FACE!
WHOK
SWEET DREAMS, DOGGIE BOY.
HEH HEH HEH... JUST A DUMB BEAST AFTER ALL.
SUT
TWITCH TWITCH
THROB

I'LL MAKE IT SO HE'LL NEVER DREAM AGAIN!
MEAN-WHILE... I'LL DEAL WITH YOUR FRIEND.
HEH HEH HEH
GASP
CRUMBLE
NO!
FWAP SHP
HE GOT AWAY?!


HM!
...
HEH... HEH HEH HEH... INSIDE THE BELL.
HOW CUTE IS THAT!
SO HE PLANS TO HIDE IN THERE, EH?

AND HE DOESN'T KNOW I'VE FIGURED IT OUT.
WELL, IT MAKES SENSE THAT HE COULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN ALL THAT FAR!
HIS HEART WAS BLOWN AWAY.
THE FIGHT WILL BE OVER IN SECONDS!
TELEPORT INSIDE THE BELL!
WHERE ARE YOU SABURO ?!
I'LL PRETEND I DON'T KNOW...
I'LL USE MY KNIFE TO CARVE YOUR HEART TO SHREDS!
AH?!
THUD

GARA GARA
CRASH
CRACKLE CRACKLE CRACKLE
CRACKLE


BEE BEE
CRACKLE
THUD
SHUU SHUU SHUU
I JUST USED THE SAME TRICK YOU DID.
THE PSIONIC POWER OF "INCARNATION" POSSESSING ANOTHER'S BODY.
I PROJECTED MY CONSCIOUSNESS INTO HACHIRO AND FLOATED HIM UP INTO THE BELL...TO MAKE YOU THINK IT WAS ME!

BECAUSE THE ENEMY DIDN'T THINK I'D USE THEIR OWN SPECIAL TECHNIQUE, THEY EASILY FELL FOR IT.
BUT I DIDN'T FIND OUT WHAT KOMAKI'S TRUE FORM WAS.
GUESS I'LL NEVER KNOW FOR SURE.
BUSU BUSU BUSU
SUT
WOOF
THANK YOU, HACHIRO.
HAVING YOU BE MY DOUBLE WORKED OUT GREAT.
YOU SAVED OUR BUTTS.
ANYWAY, HOW'S YOUR WOUND?
NAH... YOU'RE WELCOME. JUST GLAD I COULD HELP.
FLUTTER FLUTTER

I HAD TO USE ALL MY ENERGY JUST AS I WAS BEGINNING TO HEAL!
HUFF HUFF
STILL NO GOOD!
FLAP
HUFF
Y...YEAH. I JUST NEED A LITTLE MORE TIME.
HUFF HUFF
ARE YOU OKAY?
HEY!
SABURO... WHAT'S WRONG ?!
THUD